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TWO BROWNIE TROOPS at the Toy Festival at their Christmas displays Sunday afternoon at the St. Xavier Catholic School. On the right is Troop 171 under the large Christmas tree and are front row, from left, Kathy Grojean, Geralyn Stewart, Debra Aduddell, Jeanne Grojean, Laura Ford, Sydney Scherer and Theresa Schuchart; back row, Barbara Mayfield, Kathy Hampton, Linda Schuchart, Amy Buck and Maureen Klein, with the leaders, Mrs. Lincoln Scherer and Mrs. Wilfred Scherer standing in back. At the right are part of Troop 150 with their red and yellow barn display, from left, Teresa Shell, Karen Hambrick, Lisa Houchins, Charlotte Dacus and Melanie Shell, with their leader, Mrs. R. L. Hambrick. (Standard Photo)

Brownie Troops Help Santa With Christmas Gifts

Sunday afternoon the Brownie Scouts of the Sikeston - Vanduser neighborhood met in the dining hall at St. Francis Xavier School to welcome parents and friends to the annual Girl Scout Toy Festival.

Several weeks ago the Brownies started planning, making, and decorating the toys they displayed.

The toys are gifts from the Brownies to the City Welfare office for the Christmas baskets distributed to the needy families in Sikeston. Fire Chief Ramsey and local firemen assist in packing and delivering the Christmas baskets.

The Brownies of Troop 233 had a beautiful display of decorated pencils and pencil holders, wooden blocks made from scrap pieces of lumber which they sanded, painted and decorated with the letters BROWNIES. The green cardboard Christmas tree with 18 smiling gold ornaments was very pretty. Mrs. T. S. Crites is the leader of Troop 233. Her assistant is Mrs. Ralph Patton.

The leader of Troop #247, Mrs. Phillip Newman and her assistant Mrs. Bill Foster were proud of the articles the Brownies of the Vanduser troop had made and decorated. The girls used egg shells, macroni, pop corn and glue to decorate pencil holders, jewelry boxes, and vases. Plastic bottles were used to make toy pigs, wash cloths to make house slippers and red flannel for Xmas socks.

Troop #61 made puppet candy canes and baked a large box of cookies. Mrs. Edward Pence is the leader. Mrs. Albert Dockins, is assistant.

Troop #6 made surprise balls and decorated bozo paddles and pencils. Mrs. Ralph Boyer and Mrs. W. F. Sikes are the leaders.

The eighteen Brownies in Troop #196 made surprise balls and red flannel socks filled with candy under the supervision of their leaders Mrs. Wagner and Mrs. Harry White.

The pediatric ward of the Missouri Delta Community Hospital will receive red Santa Claus tray favors and four net Christmas trees made by the Brownies of troop #48. Mrs. Richard Powell is the leader and Mrs. Ronald Eaker assistant leader. The Brownies of this troop also made ball catch toys and marble toss games from large plastic bottles for the Welfare baskets.

Mrs. Jack Britt and her assistant leader Mrs. Kenneth Bailey helped the twenty-two Brownies of troop #19 make cloth books to be given to the Tanner Street Church of God Kindergarden class. They also made green and red felt doorknockers for their parents.

Troop #150 made 2 red and yellow barn sets out of corrugated cardboard with animals, tractors, and silo. They also made a cotton ball Christmas tree sprayed gold and trimmed with red and green velvet bows.

Mrs. Wilfred Scherer and Mrs. Lincoln Scherer and the Brownies of troop #121 decorated a six - foot pine tree to be taken to Shuffets Nursing Home. They plan to take cookies and sing songs for the patients. The Brownies had much fun making tree ornaments out of magic model mix.

BOSTON AP -- Sen. Edward M. Kennedy of Massachusetts is to fulfill a promise to himself Wednesday.

The brother of the late President John F. Kennedy has vowed to walk unassisted out of a Boston hospital where he has been recovering from a broken back, suffered in a plane crash last June 19.



State Traffic Kills Seven in Past Weekend

Seven Missouri traffic fatalities were reported over the weekend.

Dead are Wilbur R. Wolfe, 57, of Southwest City; Mark Anthony Johnson, 11, of Weaubleau; Mrs. Marion Miller, 47, of Edgerton; Larry Lynch, 16, of Seymour; Mrs. Irene Swain, 50, of Edwardsville, Ill., Aaron Frye, 80, of Seneca, and Thurman Moody, 35, of Sedalia.

Wolfe died Sunday night after his car struck a tree on a county road three miles east of Southwest City. The Johnson boy and Mrs. Miller also died Sunday. The youngster was killed in a two - car collision four miles south of Osceola on Missouri 13. Mrs. Miller's car ran off the road four miles northwest of Smithville.

The other deaths occurred Friday night and Saturday.

Four weekend highway fatalities were reported in Kansas.

Will Arraign 700 In Mass Court Action

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP) — More than 700 demonstrators today face mass arraignment in a community theater-turned-courtroom as the aftermath of an all-night protest sit-in at the University of California on Dec. 3.

The dispute is over student demands for more freedom on campus to advocate off-campus social and political activities without fear of university discipline. University regulations now permit advocacy at certain campus points, but call for university discipline of sudents convicted for off-campus actions such as demonstrations in which civil disobedience techniques are used.

The defendants are charged with trespassing, failure to disperse and resisting arrest. Some went limp when arrested and were dragged from Sproul Hall, the campus administration building, scene of the demonstrations. Arresting officers were acting under the direction of Gov. Edmund G. Brown.

Demonstrators included 590 students, about 50 teaching assistants and other university employes and about 130 non-students, including some wives of students.

WARRENTON, Mo. (AP) -- Voters in the Warrenton R-3 School District approved a 30-cent increase in school taxes Friday.

Lilbourn Pupils Get Shots

LILBOURN -- Approximately 450 youngsters in the Lilbourn R-IV School District received immunizations and, or vaccinations last week in a clinic conducted at Lilbourn High School in cooperation with the New Madrid County Health Center.

Immunizations for polio and diphtheria and vaccinations for smallpox were administered.

A survey conducted in the Lilbourn High School before the clinic was held indicated most of the school's students had good protection against two of the three diseases.

It was found that 259 of the school's 305 students had been vaccinated for smallpox. Those who have had a vaccination or re-vaccination within the past five years numbered 217.

The lowest level of immunization among the students was diphtheria, according to the survey. Only 149 students indicated that they had received diphtheria toxiod. The class with the smallest number of students immunized for this disease was the ninth grade with only 22 of 75 students answering the survey question affirmatively.

Polio protection was the greatest of the three. The survey showed that many of the students had received immunization from both the Sabine vaccine and the Salk injections. Other were relying on one or the other of the vaccines. The survey indicates that more than 90 percent of the student body is fully immunized against this disease.

Weather

Fair and much colder tonight with a cold wave northeast. Low tonight 10 to 20. Increasing cloudiness and colder Tuesday with high in the 30s.

FIVE-DAY FORECASTS

MISSOURI -- Temperatures will average 5 to 12 degrees below seasonal normal Tuesday through Saturday; normal high upper 40s extreme south; normal low, near 30 extreme south; intermittent light rain or snow is likely about Wednesday or Thursday with the precipitation ranging from a quarter of an inch to one half inch.

WEEKEND TEMPERATURES

High and low temperatures for the weekend were; for the 24 hours ending at 7:30 a.m. Sunday, 55 and 31 degrees; for the 24 hours ending at 7:30 a.m. today, 46 and 28 degrees. No precipitation during the past 48 hours.

Sunset today-------4:42 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow--7:05 a.m.
Moonset tomorrow--2:52 a.m.
Full Moon and Total Eclipse of the Moon--------Friday night.

MORNING PLANETS
Mars, high in southeast----
---------3:56 a.m.
Venus, rises-------5:08 a.m.
(Mars is now about 16 million miles nearer the Earth than Venus)
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Record Election Vote Cast

WASHINGTON (AP) — A record 70,621,479 Americans voted in last month's presidential election, official totals tabulated by The Associated Press showed today.

The popular-vote totals which showed an increase of almost 1.8 million over the 1960 election were:

President Johnson 43,126,218
Sen. Barry Goldwater 27,174,989
Others 320,363

Although the total set a record, there was a percentage decline in voter participation compared with 1960 — based on the number of Americans who were of voting age on Election Day.

In the 1960 race, 63.1 per cent of the persons the Census Bureau estimated were of voting age cast ballots for president.

This year, with the number of age-eligible voters estimated at 113.9 million by the bureau, the participation rate was down to 62 per cent.

In all, 35 states showed declines in participation over 1960. Where four years ago 29 states had 70 per cent or more of their voting age population at the polls, this year only 16 could surpass that figure.

But the Southern states, always on the bottom of vote participation charts, scored dramatic gains. All of the 11 states of the old Confederacy had increases in their total presidential vote and 10 of the 11 showed percentage increases—some of them marked.

Georgia, for instance, was up from 30.2 per cent to 43.2 per cent; Arkansas was up from 40.9 to 49.9; South Carolina jumped from 30.3 to 38; and Virginia climbed from 32.9 to 41.

Over-all, the Southern popular vote rose by a little more than 2 million — from 10.2 million to 12.3 million — in contrast with the national increase of 1.8 million.

Goldwater's total in the 10 Southern states was 5,993,319, an increase of 1.27 million over Richard M. Nixon's total there in 1960. Goldwater ran about 8.5 million votes behind Nixon in the rest of the nation.

Johnson's total was 8,899,122 higher than John F. Kennedy's in 1960.

Johnson's victory margin of almost 16 million and his 61 per cent share of the total vote set new U.S. political records. So, too, did his popular vote total, far surpassing the 35.5 million racked up by Republican Dwight D. Eisenhower in 1956.

Waggoner Is Reappointed Patrol Chief

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — Col. Hugh H. Waggoner, 54, who rose from trooper to superintendent of the Missouri Highway Patrol, has been reappointed by Gov. - elect Warren E. Hearnes.

Waggoner was first reappointed by the late Gov. Phil M. Donnelly in 1945. He has served under every governor since then except the late Gov. Forrest Smith. During that period he was on the staff of the National Safety Council.

During his tenure the patrol has grown from 175 uniformed men to 505.

He has held office in many national and regional peace officer organizations and is now state safety coordinator for Missouri.

He will be eligible for retirement when he reaches 55 next September but retirement is not mandatory.

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500 Drown In S. Viet Nam

SAIGON, South Viet Nam AP -- U. S. officials in central Viet Nam reported today that 500 persons drowned and 2,000 were left homeless as the result of a new flood in two provinces over the weekend.

Hardest hit was Ninh Thuan Province, 170 miles northeast of here.

Last month, central Viet Nam was devastated by floods caused by heavy rain over mountain valleys, and several thousand persons perished.

Morehouse PTA To Hold Meeting Tonight

The Morehouse PTA will hold its second meeting tonight at 7:30 p.m. Bob Summers, Juvenile officer will be the guest speaker. Following his talk sophomore Home Ec. class will present a fashion show. All parents are urged to attend. Refreshments will be served.



JOSEPH L. MATTHEWS, (right) president of the Bank of Sikeston, welcomes Paul Jobe, general manager of Malone & Hyde, and Mrs. Joseph L. Matthews to the opening of the bank's new Motor Bank, Sunday afternoon. Hundreds of patrons and friends turned out to inspect the new facility and enjoy the refreshments.

MORE THAN 600 persons attended the open house of the new Motor Bank of the Bank of Sikeston, Sunday afternoon at the corner of South Main and Greer streets. Although the open house was scheduled from one to four p.m., the steady stream of visitors, kept the receiving line going until well after 5 p.m.

On hand to greet visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Matthews, Edward Matthews, William Corrigan, W. M. Werneck, Harry Dover, J. Burch Moll, Mrs. Sam Harbin, Mrs. Ural Coppage, Mrs. Sara Bennett, Mrs. Mary Ancell and Miss Martha Seabaugh of the Bank of Sikeston.

Mrs. Coppage was in charge of the registration desk, and Miss Seabaugh was in charge of refreshments, where punch and cookies were served. All visitors received a souvenir, and were escorted through the new building.

Outside visitors included bankers from Charleston, Oran and other towns, to view the improved banking service provided for the motoring public, which includes two drive-in windows, and an inside walk-up window.

The new Motor Bank opened its doors last Wednesday, and each day has shown an increased amount of customers, which has exceeded all expectations of the bank officials.

Judge Brown Hears Cases At Charleston

CHARLESTON — The following cases have been heard in Magistrate Court by Judge T. J. Brown:

Jonathan Arnold Jesse'd pleaded guilty to excessive speeding and was fined $7.00 and $11.00 costs.

Arvin McCain pleaded guilty to excessive speeding and was fined $13.00 and $11.00 costs.

Henry Sam Elias pleaded guilty to excessive speeding and was fined $13.50 and $11.00 costs.

Grady Sisco pleaded to violating the wildlife code and was fined $5.00 and $11.00 costs.

Lee Rapert was fined $25.00 and $11.00 costs for operating overlength tractor on highway.

Jerry Dale Leech pleaded guilty to excessive speeding and was $15.00 and $11.00 costs.

Thelma L. Litchford pleaded guilty to excessive speeding and was fined $19.00 and $11.00 costs.

Robert William Sitzes pleaded guilty to excessive speeding and was fined $19.00 and $11.00 costs.

Jimmy Lamor Holdiness was fined $25.00 and $11.00 costs for failure to yield to right of way.

Ralph Bonnie Williams was fined $25.00 and $11.00 costs for careless and reckless driving.

Junior Bone was fined $10.00 and $11.00 costs for disturbing the peace. He was also placed on parole for six months.

H. T. Sutherland pleaded guilty to trespassing and was fined $5.00 and $12.00 costs.

Jimmie Sutherland pleaded guilty to trespassing and was fined $5.00 and $12.00 costs.

Ethlar Theodore Small pleaded guilty to careless and imprudent driving and was fined $10.00 and $11.00 costs.

James Odell was committed to jail for 30 days for non-support but had his sentence suspended and was placed on parole for one year, the conditions being that he pay $40.00 a week to his wife for support of minor children.

Leon Allen pleaded guilty to breaking jail and was released from serving balance of sentence and was placed on parole for six months the condition being that he obey all laws.

Five Emergencies

Five persons were treated and dismissed from the emergency room of the Missouri Delta Community Hospital over the weekend.

Roy Lee Baker, Peoria, Ill., accidentally shot himself with gun. Mathis Copeland, Matthews, stepped off porch; Elbert Parden, Charleston, stuck thorn in hand; Martha Gardner, Sikeston, in car accident and Sue Bess, Bell City, shut car door on hand.

To Give Concert Sunday

The Sikeston Community Choir will present its' fifth annual Christmas concert Sunday afternoon, December 20, at 3 o'clock in the First Methodist Church. The Community Choir is under the direction of Gordon Beaver. Accompanist for this year's Christmas Concert will be Pam Blackman.

Many varied types of Christmas choral literature will be presented at the concert. Music for this year's concert was selected with the listening audience in mind.

The Ladies' Trio, composed of Carole Sue Clayton, Lynda Freeman and Betty Summers will present two numbers in the spirit of the Christmas season. Accompanying the trio this year will be Mary Beaver.

Brenda Bruce, a talented and capable pianist will present some piano selections during the course of the concert. Miss Bruce is now studying at the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston, Mass.

Several solos will be sung during the concert on Sunday. Incidental solos will be performed by Daryl Randall, Pat Mitchell, Carole Sue Clayton, Louis Jones, Lynda Freeman, Norma Miller, and Richard Powell.

The Concert will begin promptly at 3:00 p.m. In the past a record crowd has been on hand to witness and hear this concert. It is advised to come early for a choice seat since no seating will be reserved.

Bill Bendix Of TV Fame Near Death

HOLLYWOOD (AP) -- William Bendix, whose rough-guy looks and softie heart endeared him to television fans of "The Life of Riley," lay near death today from lobar pneumonia.

Doctors at Good Samaritan Hospital said his condition has been weakened by malnutrition brought on by a stomach ailment.

Bendix, 58, was admitted to the hospital Tuesday.

His wife of 37 years, Therese, 58, said he had been suffering from stomach trouble for some time. He was operated on for stomach ulcers in 1955.

Bendix was born in New York City on Jan. 14, 1906. His father and two uncles decided he should be a violinist.

He wanted to be a baseball player. He got his first job as a batboy for the New York Giants. Later he played semi-professional ball.

INDEPENDENCE, Mo. AP -- Old grad Harry S. Truman had this word of advice for the young people of Independence: "The more you know the better off you are."

No RR Strike Until After New Year's

CHICAGO (AP)—Three shop craft unions made known today there will not be any nationwide railroad strike until after Jan. 1.

Alex Elson, lawyer for the Machinists, Electric Workers and Sheet Metal Workers unions, made the announcement in U.S. District Court.

Elson told Judge Joseph Sam Perry he had been authorized to state there "will not be a strike until after the first of the year."

The unions last week had set a strike for 6 a.m. Tuesday that would have idled more than 90 per cent of the railroad traffic at a time pre-Christmas travel, mail and merchandise shipments are at a peak.

The rail lines hurried into court and sought a temporary order and an injunction to halt the walkout. Lawyers for the carriers had argued that a work stoppage would cost the railroads more than $26 million a day.

Early Fire Alarm

A fire alarm at 1:05 a.m. today, did extensive water and smoke damage at the home of Arthur Aters, 412 Kendall. The fire department remained at the scene until 2:10, and confined the greatest damage to the living room. The home is owned by Manuel Drumm.

LBJ Says Reserve Plan Ok

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Johnson says the plan to abolish the Army Reserves is "prudent and wise."

The Reserve Officers Association disagrees and demands a thorough investigation of Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara's plan to do away with the Reserves by merging some units into the National Guard and placing the rest on inactive status.

The association said the Air Force Reserve will be the next to go.

McNamara's proposal — aimed at saving $150 million yearly by abolishing units which the defense secretary says are no longer needed — faces some stiff opposition on Capitol Hill. Congress has control over such proposals at least to the extent of providing money to carry them out.

Plans involving Army National Guard changes also are under discussion. Secretary of the Army Stephen Ailes said Sunday night that current planning concepts call for the six high-priority and two special-purpose divisions of the Guard to be converted into a division base and one brigade. But he said this was a concept "and not a firm plan," to be considered by the Army in conjunction with Reserve and National Guard authorities.

Some congressional criticism on the Reserve plan has been sharp and two congressional inquiries have already been promised in the wake of Saturday's announcement by McNamara.

Chairman F. Edward Hebert, D-La., of the House Armed Services subcommittee on the Reserves and National Guard, said McNamara "demonstrated his contempt for Congress" by issuing the plan.

Chairman John Stennis, D-Miss., of the Senate Armed Services Preparedness subcommittee, said he'll do his utmost to maintain the Reserve force and expressed the belief Congress must approve the plan before it can go into effect.

Both men said their subcommittes will hold hearings on the plan next year but no dates were set.

Johnson's public endorsement of McNamara's decision was disclosed in an exchange of letters with Rear Adm. Edgar G. Reeder, Reserve Officers Association president, who had asked Johnson to reverse it.

Johnson said he would ask the Defense Department to brief Reeder on the proposal.

Reeder, however, said he wasn't convinced "that the destruction of the Reserves serves the cause of national security, nor that national security motives alone prompted these decisions."

He said the motives of every individual who contributed to "this shocking alteration of historic national policy" should be reviewed and exposed."

Reeder predicted a similar fate for the Air Force Reserve as soon as Gen. Curtis LeMay retires as Air Force chief of staff.

State adjutants general, however, were reported ready to go along with the changes if the

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Presidential Electors Make Election Official

WASHINGTON (AP) — Presidential electors meet across the land today to make official the elections of Lyndon B. Johnson as president and Hubert H. Humphrey as vice president.

If the 538 electors do the expected, and follow the instructions given them Nov. 3 by some 70 million voters, Johnson and Humphrey will each defeat their Republican opponents, Sen. Barry Goldwater and Rep. William E. Miller, by margins of 486 to 52.

The reason: there are 486 Democratic electors and 52 Republican ones.

The Democratic electors come from the 44 states and the District of Columbia, in which the Johnson-Humphrey ticket polled the most votes on Nov. 3. The Republican electors come from the six states in which the Goldwater-Miller slate was victorious.

The electors meet and vote in the 50 state capitals and in the District of Columbia. The votes will be mailed to Washington where on Jan. 6 a joint session of Congress will count them and proclaim the winners.

Johnson and Humphrey were victorious because they won states whose electoral votes totaled more than half of the 538-member Electoral College, not because of their popular-vote majority — according to unofficial and incomplete figures—of 42,627,694 to 26,945,876.

The Constitution grants to the electors the power to elect the president. Each state has a number of electors equal to its total of senators and representatives, and the candidate getting the most votes in each state wins all of the state's electoral votes.

The District of Columbia, in addition, was granted three electoral votes by the 23rd Amendment to the Constitution which gave residents of the nation's capital the vote in a presidential election this year for the first time.

Actually, in order to win a majority of electoral votes — this year, 270 — a candidate only had to win the 11 largest states and the District of Columbia. Three victorious candidates — John Quincy Adams, Rutherford B. Hayes and Benjamin Harrison—won elections even though they received fewer popular votes than their chief opponents.

The electors are mostly loyal party workers and office-holders, selected by their party in recognition of past services and because they could be counted on to be loyal to the party's candidates.

Most were chosen at state party conventions, although some were picked in primaries or by their state committees.

Traffic Report For Scott Co. One Killed, 11 Hurt

One person was killed in a traffic accident in Scott County during November bringing the total of fatalities on the county's highways to 13 for 1964 thus far according to a report released by Capt. O. L. Qallis, commanding officer of Troop E, State Highway Patrol.

There were 19 traffic accidents in the county during the month, making a total of 197 for the year; 11 were injured making a total of 103 injuries for the year and property damage in November in the county mishaps was $9,585 to make a total of $119,625 for the year.

The report for the other six Bootheel Counties for November giving the monthly figures followed by those for the year thus far in parentheses is as follows:

Cape Girardeau Co.: 30 accidents (236); fatalities, 2 (15); injured 14 (133) and property damage, $17,840. ($140,760.)

Dunklin Co.: 32 accidents (380); fatalities, 4 (16); injured 21 (155) and property damage, $32,425. ($150,695).

Mississippi Co.: 9 accidents (122); fatalities, 0 (2) 1 injured, 2 (72) and property damage, $3,095. ($78,530).

New Madrid Co.: 25 accidents (294); fatalities, 0 (25); injured 17 (195) and property damage, $12,530. ($160,635).

Pemiscot Co.: 28 accidents (333); fatalities, 1 (14); injured 10 (184) and property damage, $15,845., ($212,440).

Stoddard Co.: 38 accidents (264); fatalities, 3 (12); injured, 23 (170); and property damage, $19,445., ($129,960.)

Capt. Wallis reports Troop E investigated 288 accidents in November in which 14 were killed, 178 injured and damage estimated at more than $171,000. During the same period of 1963 there were 272 accidents in which nine were killed and 184 injured.

The leading type of accidents that caused fatalities during November were one car accidents. Nine of the fourteen killed in one car accidents. Failure to keep control of the vehicle for some reason, too much speed, too much to drink, and inattention seemed to be the reasons for losing control. We must adjust our driving to the many conditions that might affect our safety and possibly the leading one is alertness.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

Monday, December 14 is The Turning Off of Air Conditioning at the Wax Museum.

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According to a survey, wives and children think husbands should be allowed to handle family investments. It's the same principle under which the dog gets the bone.

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OFF-HOUR SHOPPING

As the pace of holiday buying accelerates, the shoppers who attend to their chores in off-hours will be rendering a kind of public service. Visiting shopping centers when the rush is not in effect in traffic is a sound policy. If the stores are not too badly crowded the individual can get better and faster service as a matter of course.

If the total buying is spread out over the entire period available instead of being concentrated during the last few days it is a mercy for those who sell. All in all, if you can shop at relatively easy hours, you will be doing everybody concerned a favor, you yourself included.

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Christmas Seals aid the fight against TB. Use them on all your holiday mail.

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It's claimed the average waiter walks about 14 miles a day. No wonder the soup is cold before you get it!

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Our studied advice to you is to never offer anyone advice.

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Aside from the need for an aggressive national policy to reduce foreign trade barriers and restrictions, increased sales promotion and market development is essential to the expansion of world markets for U. S. farm products. Because of the need that exists in this area, the American Farm Bureau Federation in 1960 established, as an affiliate, the Farm Bureau Trade Development Corporation in Rotterdam, the Netherlands. The effort is the only one of its kind financed solely by a private farm organization without any kind of a government subsidy.

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Just learned a branch of the United States Department of Agriculture has searched the world since 1898 hunting useful plants, introducing them and evaluating their crop potentials. It has collected more than 275,000 of them.

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Political economy -- two words that should be divorced on grounds of incompatability.

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Famous Firsts at the Fairs: Alexander Graham Bell exhibited the telephone for the first time at the Philadelphia Fair in 1876. The first Ferris Wheel, exhibited at the World's Columbian Exposition at Chicago in 1893, was named after its inventor George Washington Gale Ferris, an engineer. Both are still popular. Wonder what wonders will be displayed at next year's New York Fair?

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Stop for a minute and do some dreaming. Pretend this isn't 1964 but 1988, pretend you are a millionaire and ready to take off for a drive in the country.

What would driving be like?

Chances are that you could have a dial-a-map service that would allow you to dial a number on your phon-a-vision and ask for the best roads to your destination. Zip. A map of the way would be printed in seconds and sent to you through a transmitting device on your phon-a-vision, with the route already marked. You wouldn't have to have a key to start your car. Just the sound of your voice would do that.

There wouldn't be such a thing as a driving wheel. The car would respond to shifts in the weight of your body. If you wanted to turn to the right, you wouldn lean that way. To the left, you would lean to port.

Near your destination you could throw the car into its electro-mesh-hydraulic-aerial control, a small box that responds to pre-arranged signals that beep-beep from wires embedded in the roadway.

But the best part of the trip would come when you checked your fuel gauge. If it looked low, all you would have to do is open up a small pill box in the glove compartment and drop a pill in the fuel tank, which would be conveniently buried in the steering shaft of your car.

Flat tires? Never. Tires then probably will be made of flaked steel welded into a soft, lumpy mass that never wears out.

Now all you have to do to enjoy this millenium is survive for the next 25 years on today's highways.

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The front passenger seat is still the "death seat" in a car, according to a British study of crashes. The front seat passenger suffered 75 per cent of the serious injuries, as compared to 13 per cent for the driver or 6 per cent of the rear - seat riders.

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Memory Lane: Remember when Tin Pan Alley's hits were measured by the sheet music sold and every five and 10-cent store boasted a pianist and song plugger? Today, you have a hit when you sell a million records.

Harvest of the 1964 apple crop -- a total of more than 140 million bushels -- has been completed. This is 12 percent more apples than last year and 14 percent above average.

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Years ago the "peddler" was a familiar person on the country roads of Missouri. Bringing everything to the rural family from thread to sugar and spice his visit, about two days each week, was a welcome sight, especially to the children who lived in hopes they might be able to buy a penny stick of stripped candy.

The days of the rural peddler are gone forever from the Missouri scene but this merchant of a by-gone era had a creed that many Missouri communities could well consider today in their efforts to obtain an industry, "You Can't Sell Goods From An Empty Wagon."

According to Larry Cohick, Industrial Director of the Missouri Commerce and Industrial Development Division, some Missouri towns want an industry but they are trying to sell their goods from an "empty wagon."

"A town or community must prepare itself in advance to attract an industry," Cohick said. "Few business firms will consider moving their factories into a town that has not had the foresight to look ahead. This may apply to its water system, its sewage disposal, its streets, street lighting, or any of the many things that add the 'extra' touch that takes a community from the ordinary 'run of the mill' type community to the hustling, bustling, progressive town that industries are constantly seeking."

The Industrial Director said that recently one small Missouri town had the chance to obtain a factory that would employ 30 persons. "A representative of our division escorted the owner of the factory to the town. He took one look at the main street and threw up his hands in dispair. He stated that under no circumstances would he consider establishing his plant there."

"His reasons were evident," Cohick explained. "The streets of the town were sadly in need of repaving. The street lights were antiquated, store fronts were in a state of disrepair with old fashioned metal roofs over the sidewalks rusting and several on the verge of falling. One look was all it took for this prospect to decide against moving into the town."

"Citizens of Missouri communities who are interested in obtaining an industry should not fail to attend the coming Missouri Community Betterment Awards Banquet and Conference in Jefferson City, December 2nd and 3rd," the director said.

He explained that at the conference it may be learned first hand how industries can be encouraged to consider a community for a new location. He said there would be outstanding speakers on Community Improvement, workshops and displays to educate the uninformed on ways and means to make their communities grow and prosper.

"Prosperous merchants have long known that substantial inventories are needed to sell merchandise," Cohick said. "Many Missouri towns need to take inventory and find what they need to attract an industry. Attendance at the First Annual Missouri Community Betterment Awards Banquet and Conference can furnish the answer to what methods are necessary to embark on a 'path of progress' rather than staying in the 'rut of depression'."

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YOU CAN'T DIVIDE NOTHING

Wealth is production -- the more you produce, the more there is to divide. And modern machines help you produce more.

But if you don't have modern machines, or if you don't use them well, you won't produce anything above bare subsistence. And no matter how you divide nothing, it's still nothing.

Endless Struggle



So your own wealth is your own responsibility -- produce it, or you don't have it.
---Warner & Swasey

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A teacher placed her hat in front of the class and told the students to write an essay about it. For several minutes nothing was heard but the scratching of pens. Then a small boy inquired, "Teacher, are there two p's in stupid?"

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A LONG STORY

To whom, and to what, do you pay taxes?

The quick answer is the federal government. But that isn't the end of the story -- not by a very long shot.

For instance, the Oregon State Tax Commission -- and it's a safe bet that Oregon is a fairly typical state -- has compiled a list of taxing bodies. They number 1,207. Included are schools, cities, five districts, water districts, cemetary districts, counties, parks and so on. Each of these, to some extent, has and uses the power to dip into your pocketbook.

The point is that drives for more economical government should not be restricted to our $100 billion a year federal establishment, vital as that is. Local agencies can be mighty expensive too -- and mighty wasteful. If we are to ever have true economy of operation in public agencies it must be pursued right down to the smallest local level of government.

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"Here," said the husband angrily, holding out a sheaf of monthly bills to his wife. "Pick a bill -- any bill. Then explain it."

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YEAH, MEN ARE UGLIER

Girls are smarter than boys. This will scarcely come as news to girls of any age or to married men.

It may, however, shake up boys and young men, although even they must have a gnawing and growing suspicion that they are being consistently outsmarted by what in the mid-Victorian era was euphemistically known as the fair sex.

The latest proof is provided by tests given 750,000 California pupils in the fifth, eighth and eleventh grades.

These tests -- steady now, fellows -- showed that with the single exception of mathematics in the eleventh grade group, girls excel boys in scholastic ability and all "basic skills."

Being a male, we're not smart enough to know exactly what "basic skills" include. But we'll bet our miserable IQ against whatever is small enough to make a fair bet that one of these skills is the instinctive good sense to leave something tough like mathematics to the men.

The worst part of it is that girls are prettier, too.

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The big-game hunter took his wife on his newest safari. The sportsman had bagged a few minor trophies, but the great prize was the head of a huge lion, killed by his wife.

"What did she hit it with?" asked a friend admiringly. "That 303 Magnum rifle you gave her?"

"No," answered her husband dryly, "with the 1961 station wagon we hired."

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HIT THE SPOT: Cosmetic stains on washable clothes should be pretreated with detergent and then laundered . . . Scrape off excess of catsup spots. soak in cold water for 30 minutes, pretreat with detergent and launder . . . A girl's pancake make-up on your dark clothes will come off best if the cloth is patted with the sticky side of some cellophane tape.

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At a shower for the bride-to-be, she told her friends, "I plan to have four children -- two boys and two girls."

One friend asked, "Why stop at four?"

"Because," replied the bride-to-be, "I've been reading statistics and find that every fifth child is Chinese."

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DRESS TIPS: According to the American Institute of Men's and Boys' Wear, Inc., it is neither correct nor good judgment to wear sport clothes for business. On the theory that other people base their appraisal of you in part on your appearance -- including your clothes -- it would seem foolish to make less than the best impression possible. The head of an important personnel - placement agency recently remarked, "If two or more men seem equally qualified for a post, I take particular note of their attire. If we are seeking a businessman, we rarely take one who dresses like a golfer."

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The Marriage - Broker was recommending a young woman to a dowdy old widower. "She is young," he said, "and beautiful. And what is more, she has money."

"Sounds too good for me," said the widower, shaking his head. "What's the matter with her?"

"Nothing, I assure you. She is strong and healthy, quite as beautiful as I say she is, and very anxious to get married."

"Doesn't sound right to me," persisted the widower.

"Well, if you must know," added the broker, "she's just the least tiny bit pregnant."

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Never milk a cow in a thunderstorm; you might get left holding the bag.

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"Do you think your boy will forget all he learned in college?

"I hope, so. He can't make a living necking."

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A pollster recently made his own survey of our ailing public school system. His results:

"The trouble is the teachers are afraid of the principals, the principals are afraid of the superintendents, the superintendents are afraid of the school boards, the school boards are afraid of the parents, the parents are afraid of the kids, and the kids know it."

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The trained mermaid staff at Weeki Wachee, the spring of live mermaids on the West Coast of Florida is comprised of girls from Georgia, Michigan, Illinois, Virginia, Iowa, Florida, New Jersey, Ohio, New York, Kentucky, Alabama, Minnesota, Pennsylvania and Canada!

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IN THE STORES: Many men's stores now carrying aerosol stain remover for removing spots from ties and clothing. Works well too. . . This is the time of year when one can get two gifts for the price of one. Various items come in unique packagings that have secondary uses. Example: A belt comes packed in a handsome hinged jewel box.

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They say you should never drink while driving, and I'll go along with that. I always stop the car first, have my drink, and then drive on.

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"They tell me your wife came from an aristocratic old family."

"Not exactly came -- she brought it with her."

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Leaving the plush supper club one night, a miserly gentleman stalked right past the doorman without tipping him. Nevertheless, the doorman helped the man into the car with a flourish and said pleasantly. "In case you happen to lose your wallet on the way home, sir, just remember that you didn't pull it out here."

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A tourist stopped at a combination service station and general store in the back country. While his car was being serviced, he noticed an oldtimer basking in the sun and holding a short piece of rope. The tourist walked over to him and asked, "What have you there?"

"This is a weather guage, sonny."

"How can you possibly tell the weather with a piece of rope," the tourist asked.

"It's simple, sonny," was the droll answer. "When the rope swings back and forth, it's windy, and when it gets wet, it's raining."

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Before Lee Remick left for Spain and a role in a new motion picture, she asked if she should take a crash course in conversational Spanish. She was told it wasn't necessary. Now she knows better. The other day in Malaga she bought what she thought were tickets to her first bullfight and ended up watching the touring Harlem Globetrotters.

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Inflation is what turns a nest egg into chicken feed.

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Sunday school teacher: Tell me, Willie, where do bad little boys and girls go?

Willie: To the woodshed.

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When Harold Macmillan, Britain's Prime Minister, fired some 16 cabinet ministers recently, Britishers raised their eyebrows. Some of the victims had been Macmillan's close friends, and even though the Conservative Party had been slipping at the polls, few had expected Mac would act so unflinchingly to keep himself in office.

At the next session of the House of Commons a number of verbal barbs were fired at Macmillan and his "purge." Slyest quip of all, however, came from a Liberal, Jeremy Thorpe. Eyeing the Prime Minister, Thorpe quoted:

"Greater love hath no man than this, that he lay down his friends for his life."

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You can always tell a man's nationality by introducing him to a beautiful girl. An Englishman shakes the girl's hand. A Frenchman kisses her hand. An American asks for a date - and a Russian wires Moscow for instructions.

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STILL A MYSTERY

It seems a couple of passengers on a boat got into something of an argument concerning another passenger's identity. One thought he was the bishop. The other was equally certain he wasn't. Finally, they bet $5 on it. They went up to him and one asked, "Excuse us -- but aren't you the bishop?"

The man addressed put down his paper and roared: "What do you mean intruding on people! -- why in the hell don't you mind your own damn business."

As the two men walked away, one remarked, "Well, I guess the bet's off. We still don't know if he's the bishop."

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Things that I longed for in vain and things that I got -- let them pass. Let me but truly possess the things I spurned and overlooked. -- Tagore

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Benjamin Franklin: There's a time to wink as well as to see.

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The old phrase describing someone with a small, picky appetitite as having "an appetite like a bird," obviously does not take the ostrich into account. Ostriches will dine in almost anything -- and in great quantities. They eat snakes, lizards, small mammals, birds, insects, many kind of plants, and even have a hankering for pebbles, up to and including the size of hen's eggs.

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The absent - minded professor put his umbrella to bed and stood up in the corner and dripped all night.

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A local lawyer was attending a funeral. A friend arrived late and took a seat beside him, whispering: "How far has the service gone?"

The lawyer nodded toward the minister in the pulpit and said: "He just opened the defense."

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FATHER OF VIOLIN

Musical authorities are in disagreement over who developed the first "modern violin," but the credit is generally given to Andrea Amati, who lived in Italy in the 16th century, and founded a family of famous violin - makers. The family's finest craftsman was Nicolo, who made the "Grand Amati," owned by Paganini, and whose pupils included Antonio Stradivari and Andrea Guarneri.

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Father: Now, son aren't you glad you prayed for a baby sister?

Young son, looking at twin girls: Yes. And aren't you glad I quit praying when I did?

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Last summer there was a mass invasion of millipedes out our way. These critters are like centipedes, except that they have more legs. There are two ways of handling them, scholarly entomologists decided. Either spray with insecticides or stand on a chair, as area housewives have been doing, and scream until they go away.

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Whistler came home and found his mother scrubbing the kitchen floor on her hands and knees.

"Why Mother," he exclaimed, "have you gone off your rocker?"

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The motto of the 4-H Club is "To Make The Best Better."

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The Navy's first destroyer, the Bainbridge, was launched in 1901. It had a top speed of 28 knots, displaced 420 tons and was armed with two torpedo tubes, two 3-inch 50's and five six pounders.

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — Things a columnist might never know if he didn't open his mail:

Traditional yule logs, early Dutch settlers believed, helped keep the devil and other evil spirits away.

Counterfeiters make money by making money, but so does the U.S. mint. It expects to make a profit of between $30 to $40 million on the nickels and pennies it turns out this year. The coins are valued at more than their metal content.

Actress Jayne Mansfield owns 200 pairs of shoes.

Many people think tornadoes are limited to the Midwest and Southwest; actually, since 1916 they have struck in 48 states.

Does it upset you to see cattle branded on television horse operas? Well, simmer down, it's all trick shot stuff. The American Humane Association sees to it that the hot irons are applied to boards placed behind the animals.

Soon you may be eating plankton, the sea stuff made up of tiny plants and animals on which fish feed. It is rich in proteins and fats, and is said to taste like shrimp or lobster.

Quotable notables: "Gentleness is a divine trait: nothing so strong as gentleness, and nothing is so gentle as real strength" —Ralph W. Sockman, Methodist minister.

There are now more than 78 million telephones in America. As this is far more than the number of teen-agers, there is a fair chance you will get to use a phone sometime yet during your lifetime.

Can you name the first U.S. president who was born an American citizen? He was Martin Van Buren, whose birthdate was Dec. 5, 1782. The seven presidents who preceded him all had been born British subjects.

The poodle is America's most popular purebred dog, followed by the German shepherd, beagle, dachshund and Chihuahua. The Boston terrier, once ranked first, now has dropped back to about 12th place.

Folklore: Wearing an eelskin around your ankle will keep you from having stomach cramps. Bald heads washed in sage tea will sprout new hair. A sulphur bag strung from the neck will ward off contagious diseases. In moving to a new house it brings good luck to send beforehand a ...ew broom and a loaf of bread.

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON — My apologies to two congressmen, John J. Flynt, D-Ga., and Mike Kirwan, D-Ohio, in regard to a recent column on their junkets.

I now find that Rep. Flynt did not get started on his. He was slated to go to the Far East as a member of the House Appropriations Committee, but at the last minute called off the trip.

Rep. Kirwan did go to Samoa in the South Sea Islands on an inspection trip for the Appropriations Committee. But additional background has become available which in fairness I want to report.

For a long time the American part of Samoa has been one of the more neglected portions of the South Seas. It has suffered from poor schools, with one third of the children of high school age not attending. Under the law they are supposed to be taught in English, but few Samoan teachers have a real knowledge of English.

Accordingly, Gov. Rex Lee decided to inaugurate educational television. He had the alternative of firing 300 Samoan teachers and bringing in 300 Americans to teach English, which would have generated ill will. So he decided to use a few American teachers to teach students via TV, and incidentally improve the English of the Samoan teachers.

When the problem came before the House Appropriations Committee, Mike Kirwan, subcommittee chairman, helped appropriate $1,600,000 for educational TV. The money was voted, the TV network was set up in cooperation with the National Association of Educational Broadcasters, and Mike was persuaded — somewhat against his will — to make the trip to dedicate the new TV network.

Mike did inspect public works on the islands, plans for a new hotel and a new hospital. He also dedicated a new airport.

But most important and most inspiring was to see classrooms of Samoan children listening to an American teacher on the TV screen point to a pig and get the children to say in chorus "big pig"; then point to a man and get them to say in chorus "big man."

It was a laborious start, but one which is beginning to get results — so much so that a representative of New Zealand's Samoa Islands and the Prince of Tonga nearby came over to see the Samoan inauguration. It has now become an education showplace for the South Pacific.

I am delighted to give these further facts about Mike Kirwan's junket, and I am grateful to Leonard Marks, counsel for Educational TV, for bringing them to my attention.

--CONGRESSMAN PAYS HIS WAY--

While congressmen are jetting all over the world and staying at the finest hotels — at taxpayer expense — Rep. William Bray, R-Ind., is doing the opposite.

Bray and his wife have left on a 17-day tour of South America and will pay their own expenses for everything, including travel, hotels, meals, and miscellaneous. It won't cost the taxpayers a penny, though Bray plans to spend part of his time on "official business."

He will inspect military missions and foreign aid spending in Brazil, Argentina, and other countries as a representative of the House Armed Services Committee.

"While I plan to do some work, I want to be perfectly honest in saying that the primary purpose of this trip is pleasure," acknowledged Bray. "I'm not criticising colleagues who let the government pay for foreign travel, provided they work while abroad. I've done it myself. But this time Mrs. Bray and I are paying it all."

--HEADLINES AND FOOTNOTES--

The Steelworkers battle to unseat Dave McDonald has started some unfair backlash against some of Dave's friends, among them James P. Griffin, for 22 years director of Youngstown District 26. . . Griffin has done a great job not only for labor but for the community, is chairman of Mahoning County Community College, on the Advisory Vocational Committee, of the Ohio State Board of Education, and Bishop Emmett M. Walsh pays sincere tribute to him for his work among Catholic men. So does axuiliary Bishop James Malone. . . . Incidentally, recent polls taken among Steelworkers indicate that McDonald stands much higher than his opponents suspected. It won't pay to count him out. . .

When the U.S. Naval Academy soccer team played Swarthmore, one Swarthmore player was called "a dirty communist" by a Navy player, another "a nigger." The latter was Geoffrey Mwaungulu, an African guest student from Nyasaland. The Navy namecallers were midshipmen training to become future commanders of the U.S. Navy. . . Final vote count in Kansas showed Junction City publisher John Montgomery, Democrat, losing the race for Congress by only 3,617 votes, the narrowest margin for that district in Kansas history. Montgomery, who publishes an English-language newspaper in Rio de Janeiro, knows Latin America well, would make an excellent U.S. envoy below the Rio Grande. . . . "Georgeous George" Smathers, the handsome senator from Florida, has been dropping hints that he would like to be the new Attorney General (even though he was closely linked with Bobby Baker). . . Dale Miller, close Texas pal of LBJ, was in Mexico City for the inauguration of President Diaz Ordaz. He told Mexicans that LBJ would permit no long benedictions at his own inaugural Jan. 20. Copies of prayers must be submitted to the White House in Advance.

The President wants no long sermon such as that rendered by Cardinal Cushing of Boston when JFK was inaugurated in 1961.

Inside Labor

By VICTOR RIESEL

Longshoremen Vow to Cut Flow of U. S. Aid Shipments To Nations Permitting Mobs To Wreck American Embassies

New York: -- Four anti-American governments which have permitted U. S. embassies and libraries to be invaded or sacked and burned have received more than $1.25 billion in virtually free American food, grain and equipment during the past nine years.

This U. S. aid, dispatched under Public Law 480, is still flowing into those lands by the scores of millions of dollars, though their governments now are supplying guns and military manpower to the Communist - controlled Congolese rebels.

One of those "neutral" countries, the United Arab Republic, added insult to injury the other day by demanding an additional $35 million worth of free aid -- after it permitted a mob to wreck the U. S. embassy compound in Cairo and burn the U. S. Information Agency library on November 26.

However, neither Egypt nor the other governments -- Algeria, Indonesia and the Sudan -- will get a grain if some of the militant International Longshoremen's Assn. leaders have their way. They can't shift foreign policy, but they can ask their people not to "lift that bale."

Union dockwallopers tied up an Algerian - bound grain shipment two years ago in protest against giving wheat to that country when its leader Ben Bella was playing host and pledging support to Fidel Castro in Algiers. And the longshoremen can do it again.

They can refuse to load this cargo to any government which permits its police and armed forces to stand by while mobs burn thousands of American books and wreck our buildings in foreign capitals.

Conversations with longshoremen leaders reveal they would take such action immediately. But they now are bound up in last minute negotiations with the ship owners over a new contract. A strike deadline is set for Dec. 20.

Once this collective bargaining crisis is over, the ILA leaders will go to their national executive board and urge adoption of a boycott of shipments to these lands from all Atlantic and Gulf ports.

"We can't take action now, in the midst of tense negotiations on the wage size of the work force bargaining," Thomas (Teddy) Gleason, ILA president, told this column. "But once this is over we're going to urge our executive board to hit back at what we view with disgust. We don't want wheat to go to those countries which are backing the Congolese rebels, the same sadists who killed the hostages, crunched them to death, murdered nuns, priests and missionaries and forced some of our foreign officers to literally eat an American flag.

"Why should U. S. longshoremen, union men, help get aid to governments which denounce our government and support the grimmest wholesale murder since the Nazi atrocities.

"I know the longshoremen all right and I know they just won't move that stuff."

Gleason pointed out that the longshoremen have speeded cargo to the neutral nations involved, but the attacks changed all this. Look at the figures, he urged.

Those statistics are startling. Since 1954, the U. S. has dispatched over $330 million in surplus foods to Indonesia. In recent weeks the Indonesian police permitted mobs to wreck two U. S. libraries and burn more than 15,000 books.

In the past two years, almost $100 million worth of food and material have gone to Algeria. We have supported the Ben Bella government efforts to pay wages of those on work relief. This has been a direct contribution to help the Algerian laborer.

Yet Premier Ben Bella has dispatched several Soviet-built four - engine turboprop AN-12 military transports with men and arms for the Congolese rebels. The craft went in through the big Khartoum (Sudan) airfield.

The Sudanese government is aiding this operation, though the U. S. has given the Khartoum government more than $90 million in aid during the past few years. As recently as last March, the U. S. agreed to send the Sudan $13.24 million worth of wheat -- and to pay much of the shipping costs during 1964 - 65.

Egypt, center of the pro-Congolese operation, has gotten more than $735 million from the U. S. since 1954.

Cairo now receives this U.S. aid at the rate of $140 million annually. And it wants more -- riots or no riots.

In reply, longshoremen say nobody can force them to aid the allies of wholesale murderers.

The Women's Page

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Mrs. Kermit Bird Hostess To Woman's for Christmas Party

The Woman's Club of Sikeston met Tuesday afternoon, December 8, for their Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Kermit Bird with 38 members and three guests, Mrs. Eldon Ziegenhorn, Mrs. J. E. Childress and Mrs. Jo Anne Fox.

The business session was presided over by the president, Mrs. Fred Steward Sr.

The correspondence read by the second vice president, Mrs. W. A. Smith.

A letter from the president of M. F. W. C., Mrs. Raymond Gepford of Kansas City on the Care program. The club sends five dollars to this project.

The Woman's Division of the Chamber of Commerce is asking the club members to send in Slogans for Sikeston which one will be selected and used throughout the city.

Mrs. M. E. Montgomery, membership chairman, presented Mrs. Elmer Poage's name as a new member.

The program was presided over by Mrs. R. D. Mow, chairman of Fine Arts Department. Mrs. Thatcher Scism gave a short introduction of the Christmas story to be presented in music and poetry.

Mrs. E. J. Nienstedt as the reader. Mrs. J. E. Childress, pianist and Mrs. Jo Anne Fox vocalist.

Following the program a social hour with gifts exchanged was enjoyed.

Refreshments in keeping with the Holiday season were served with Mrs. Fred Steward presiding at the punch bowl.

The hostesses were Mrs. W. G. Funk, Mrs. M. E. Montgomery, Mrs. E. J. Nienstedt, Mrs. Edna Husband and Mrs. Kermit Bird.



Mrs. Alec Waters

Mother of Four To Appear In Little Theatre

Mrs. Alec Waters, better known perhaps as "Ginnie," is the mother of four, but still finds time to participate in the Sikeston Little Theatre production of "J. B."

Mrs. Waters previous experience was mainly in the television field, "which" she says, "is quite different from the stage." She appeared in the Tidewater Area of Virginia as a panelist on the Mildred Alexander Show and as a model on a television charm school for housewives.

The Waters family has just moved to Sikeston and are delighted to be able to participate in a Little Theatre group.

Season's tickets for the Sikeston Little Theatre are still available and may be obtained from Mrs. Barbara Smith, GR-1-1077 or by sending your check to Sikeston Little Theatre, P. O. Box 126, Sikeston.

"J. B." will be presented Thursday and Friday, December 18 and 19 at the Middle School Auditorium.

Mrs. Renner Gives Program to DAR About Indians

King's Highway Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution met with Mrs. William Huff Monday evening December 7. Mrs. Eva Reed, sister of Misses Caroline and Isabel Hess, was a guest.

The regent, Mrs. Huff, opened the meeting with the DAR ritual. Mrs. Mildred Cooper gave the national defense report which dealt with the shipment of tanks, military trucks and trailers from Russia.

Mrs. Wallace Crane reported that the good citizenship girls elected by their respective schools are: Patricia Wallace, Charleston; Jeanne Howard, East Prairie; Norma Gale Skolsky, Sikeston; Donna Johnson, Scott County Central; Peggy Johnson, Kelly; and Mary Haddock, Chaffee.

Mrs. Helen Jones read a letter from the Americana chairman on the importance of preserving folk music and antiques.

The program on Indians was given by Mrs. A. J. Renner. She showed slides of the Navaho Reservation. The magnificant scenery and the meager of natural resources were very evident. Their crafts were shown at Indian fairs and the improvement in the educational and living conditions since, uranium, gas and oil have been discovered on the reservation. The friends from these resources are administered by a tribal council.

Miss Janet Pope Exchanged Vows With Sam McVay

Miss Janet Pope, daughter of Mrs. Vera L. Pope and the late Thomas H. Pope, became the bride of Sam McVay, son of Mr. and Mrs. George McVay of Matthews, Nov. 21.

The Rev. Thomas Messer performed the double ring ceremony in the Baptist Foundation Chapel.

Given in marriage by her brother, Darryl Pope, the bride wore an afternoon - length gown of white lace. She also wore a veil of illusion and carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums.

Miss Judith Pope served her sister as maid of honor. Bob McVay of Commerce was best man.

The bride is employed at Southeast Missouri Hospital. Mr. McVay plans to enter State College in February.

Kiwanis Members Attend Inter-Club Dinner Meeting

MOREHOUSE --Seven Morehouse Kiwanis Club members and their wives attended an Inter-club dinner meeting with the Lilbourn Kiwanis Club at the City Hall in Lilbourn Thursday night. Ladies of the Church of God prepared and served the dinner; the proceeds go to the Church Fund. As no program was presented, the highlights of the meeting was the introduction of the guests. Those attending from Morehouse were Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Chittendon, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Menees, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Swinger, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Donner, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Ayres, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rauch, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Daniels and the latter's mother from Lilbourn, Mrs. W. W. Hoehn.

Gleaner's Class Has Annual Christmas Party

MOREHOUSE -- The Gleaner's Class of the First Baptist Church in Morehouse held their annual Christmas Party in the Blue Room of the Mid-Towner in Sikeston Tuesday night with thirteen members attending. The room was beautifully decorated in the Christmas theme; a trimmed lighted Christmas tree where gifts were placed underneath. After the bountiful dinner, several games were played.

The only business was a discussion for an offering to present a needy family with a basket of food for Christmas and collect toys for two needy children and an exchange of gifts. Those attending were Mesdames Ann Newton, Jean Westerfield, Jean Bryant, Betty Payne, Sue Sweeney, Ella Mae Orr, Janice Glover, Armetha Taylor, Niva Breedo Pat Glover, Pat Ross, Wanda Conley and Miss Jean Boswell.

WMU Observe Week of Prayer

MOREHOUSE -- The W. M. U. met Wednesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Morehouse to observe the Week of prayer for Foreign Missions, with six members present. The program topic was "We Follow In His Train." Mrs. Melvin Rodgers was program leader; she gave the Devotional Message and the "Presentation of Needs". Mrs. Dewey Savage gave two parts, "To The Hungry" and "To The Thirsty". Mrs. Fred Laminack also gave two parts, "To The Stranger" and "To The Naked. Mrs. Marion Clark gave "To The Sick." A period of directed prayer was given by Mrs. Mont Frank. The Benediction was by all singing one verse of "Come Thou Almighty King."

The W. M. U. also met at the Church Thursday afternoon for the conclusion of the "Week of Prayer" for Foreign Mission with only four members present, so many out because of sickness. The program topic was "Children of The King," Mrs. Berniece Bryant as leader. Mrs. Melvin Rodgers gave the Devotional; Mrs. Fred Laminack and Mrs. Mont Frank gave "Baptist Witness Around The World." Each one led in prayer for Missionaries as the Benediction. A Lottie Moon Christmas Offering will be taken church-wide on Sunday.

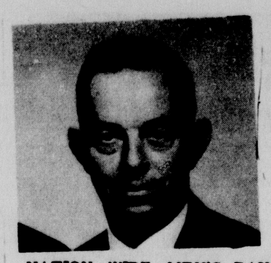
Hospital Notes

Patients Admitted to the Missouri Delta Community Hospital December 13, 1964
Clarence Cantrell, Sikeston
Dennis Hodges, Charleston
Loretta Aycock, East Prairie
Mary Hamilton, Benton
Alcy Bragg, Sikeston
Patients Discharged Dec. 13
Curtis Mathis, Sikeston
Raymond Powers, Anniston
Bessie Goetz, Sikeston
Lawrence Carr, Carmi, Ill.
Lucy Carr, Carmi, Ill.
Louella Hunley, Crossville, Ill.
Benny Shaw, Parma
Georgia Bard, East Prairie
Medford Livingston, Sikeston

Patients Admitted to the Delta Community Hospital December 12, 1964
Harley Barnes, Sikeston
Clifford Gipson, Sikeston
Paul Nance, Charleston
Ivy Sisk, East Prairie
George Dawes, Sikeston
Kelly Lawrence, Morehouse
Mildred Alberson, Sikeston
Carolyn Dickerson, Sikeston
Wade Harper, East Prairie
Medford Livingston, Sikeston
Patiends Discharged Dec. 12
Lela Pearl Chaney, Sikeston
Brenda L. Henry, Wyatt
Ruby Andres, Sikeston
Viola Stevenson, Springfield
Janet Stevenson, Springfield
Agnes Payne, Sikeston
Frank Houck, Sikeston
Charles DeLay, Pasadena

Employees Honored With Banquet Tuesday

MOREHOUSE -- Mr. Earl Watkins of Dexter, owner of several Funeral Homes, entertained Tuesday night with an annual Christmas Banquet for all his employees and their wives, the ministers and their wives and one member of the city law in towns where he has Funeral Homes. The State Highway Patrol in this area were also guests, also Florists and fire department dispatcher and his wife of Dexter. They were entertained by a quartet sponsored by Mrs. Watkins. They sing every Sunday on Radio Station K. D. E. X. in Dexter. The guest speaker was Rev. Montgomery. The room was beautifully decorated, as well as the table in the Christmas theme. Mr. Watkins presented everyone present with a gift. Those attending from Morehouse were Mr. and Mrs. Estle Rogers, managers of the local Funeral Home, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Hewitt of Canalou and Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Bohannon of Morehouse.



NATION WIDE MEN'S DAY was observed Sunday at the Morehouse Assembly of God Church. The men all voted and chose Mr. J. W. Coke who was given an award for the outstanding Man of the Year in the work of the church. He is the Bible Class teacher and is married and has two children. Mr. Coke is a resident of Sikeston and is employed at the Goza - Harper Motor Co. He is a member of the Assembly of God Church in Morehouse.

"Another woman driver!" my husband growled as a car cut us off on a busy freeway. Later we drew abreast of the offender and saw that it was a man. Unrepentant, my husband observed, "His mother probably taught him to drive." —Dolores J. Watkins

Peaches 'N Cream Cheese Cookie Pie



Here's a pie that is filled with summer sunshine to serve in the cold of winter. Canned peach pie filling that tastes fruit fresh and sweet as if just picked, is the magic ingredient. Spooned right from the can, this fruit pie filling can be used year 'round in cobblers, pies or atop cake and ice cream sundaes.

This Peaches 'N Cream Cheese Cookie Pie is so easy to prepare that you'll want to treat the family to it often. The crust is made from nut-studded butterscotch cookies—the refrigerated kind that only need slicing and baking. Sweetened cream cheese is the base for the velvety-smooth topping that caps this delightful dessert. Try it soon—it will add a colorful and flavorful note to your winter menus.

Peaches 'N Cream Cheese Cookie Pie

1 roll refrigerated butterscotch nut cookies
8-oz. package cream cheese
½ cup powdered sugar
1 egg
1 can (2½ cups) peach pie filling

Lightly grease and sugar the bottom and sides of a 9-inch pie pan. Cut cookie dough into slices ⅛-inch thick. Line bottom and sides of pan with cookie slices, overlapping slightly to form a scalloped edge (use about ½ roll). Bake at 375° for 8 to 10 minutes, until light golden brown. Cool.

Combine softened cream cheese, powdered sugar and egg. Beat until smooth. Turn peach filling into cooled crust; spread cream cheese mixture over top. Bake at 350° for 25 to 30 minutes. 8 servings.

Social Calender

MONDAY
Ladies Auxiliary to the V.F.W. will meet at 7 p.m. at Post Home. Important meeting.

The Keith Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church will meet at the home of Linda Miller Monday, Dec. 14 at 6:00 P.M. for the Christmas Party.

MONDAY
The Coalesce Club will meet Monday, December 14 at the Mid-Towner for their annual Christmas Party. Husbands are invited and there will be a gift exchange.

TUESDAY
The Bethany Class of the First Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Ray Clinton, 1025 N. Kingshighway, at 7:30 p.m. for regular class meeting and Christmas Party. (December 15). Don't forget to bring gift for the children's home and gift for exchange among members.

THURSDAY
American Auxiliary will meet Thursday night at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. H. G. Cathey 577 Park.

SATURDAY
Troop 111 Bake Sale will be held Saturday, December 19. Will deliver. If you want to place an order call GR 1-2282.

SUNDAY
December 20th, 6 p.m. the entire congregation of the First Methodist Church and other friends are cordially invited to attend a fellowship dinner at the Legion Hall.

California
Nora McMullin, Sikeston
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Byrn Sheppard, East Prairie
Arnold Groves, Bertrand

News in Brief

Order grave blankets now. Roping, loose Holly, Evergreen branches, Holly Wreaths, Woehlecke Florist, Phone GR 1-5501.

12-8-14t

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Johnson of Jonesboro, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. Randol Johnson and daughter, Rhonda Sue, of Chester, Ill., spent Sunday here with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. L. D. Randol. Also arriving that day were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bradley of Bismarck, N. D., who had been to Atlanta, Ga. last week and returned to visit until Wednesday with Mrs. Bradley's mother, Mrs. Randol.

Mrs. Homer Scobey of Sikeston, and nieces, Miss Louise Coffee of Memphis, Tenn.; Mrs. Mildred Sloas of New Madrid and Mrs. Wilma Morlan of Caruthersville went to St. Louis Saturday to visit with their sister and mother, Mrs. Evelyn Conner, who is a patient in the Missouri Baptist Hospital. They returned Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Phillips of Holland, Mo. visited the latter part of the week with Mrs. Phillips' sisters, Mrs. R. T. Wainman of Sikeston and Mrs. Jessie Grant of Morley. Mrs. Wainman accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Phillips home Monday for the days visit and will also visit with her niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moore of Caruthersville, before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Conrad and Mrs. Dorothy Brown of San Antonio, Texas arrived Friday for a visit with the ladies sisters, Mrs. Carrie Fisher, Mrs. Hazel Cagle and Mrs. James Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen and daughter, Susan, of Christopher, Ill., spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Allen. Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Duncan and children, April and Jeff, of DuQuoin, Ill., visited with Mrs. Duncan's parents, Mr. Joe Allen, who is ill, is reported to be improving.

ANN LANDERS
Answers your problems

Dear Ann Landers: What can I do about a boy friend whose chief interest in life is food? Sidney is not a teen-ager. He is 24 years old and plenty overweight, I might add.

Sidney never holds my hand in a movie because he is too busy shoveling popcorn into his mouth. At football games, while other couples hold hands, Sidney must have his hands free — for the hot dogs and potato chips. Even when he drives the car one hand is in a bag of jelly beans.

The other evening while we were watching TV Sidney was munching on leechee nuts till I thought I'd lose my mind. When I saw him to the door he said, "I'd kiss you goodnight, dear, but I can't seem to get rid of this salt-water taffy."

I could compete with another female, Ann, but how does one compete with food? Help. Please. — TENA

Dear Tena: Sidney sounds like a nervous eater. And he could eat himself into an early grave unless he resolves the problems that are driving him to food.

A 24-year-old man who is so busy with salt-water taffy that he can't kiss his girl goodnight needs professional help.

Dear Ann Landers: Some people I work with didn't like the advice you gave the stepmother who despised her husband's 16-year-old daughter.

When the stepmother wrote, "My husband is on MY side" I knew what the poor kid was up against. You said the stepdaughter would be better off in a foster home. This was a pretty bold piece of advice but you were right.

My stepmother yanked me out of dancing school after two lessons because I was "a clumsy cow." After three voice lessons she decided I was tone deaf. I had four piano lessons and then they were knocked off because I was "too dumb" to learn. (I wasn't too dumb to do the washing and ironing and scrub the floors.)

In the 12 years I buttered my bread in that house my father never said one decent word to me. If it weren't for the moral support of two wonderful high school teachers I would have headed for the river. You were right and don't let anyone tell you different. — ALSO STEPPED ON

Dear Also: Dozens of readers DID tell me different but my position is unchanged.

The hostility of the stepmother and the total absence of sympathy on the part of the father persuaded me that the girl didn't stand a chance under that roof—and I said so.

At times my advice makes many people angry but I'm not trying to win a popularity contest. I'm trying to help those who need it.

Dear Ann Landers: Jack has asked me to marry him but something is holding me back. He loves children and I don't want to be bothered.

The thought of having a family upsets me. My figure is great and I don't want to lose it — even temporarily. I become sick to my stomach when I think of feeding and diapering the little brats. Being stuck at home with them would be a drag.

Jack talks to strange kids on the street and can pick up any dirty, ragged little kid and love him to pieces. I'm sure he'd insist on a family.

Should I marry Jack under these conditions? And don't suggest a psychiatrist. I won't go. I just want a yes or no.— HONEST BABE

Dear Babe: It would be a dirty trick to marry Jack. And it would be an even dirtier trick to the children you might bring into the world. Stay single or find an oddball like yourself.

Parents are people —they can be right and they can be wrong. To help understand their viewpoint and to promote harmony at home, write for ANN LANDERS' booklet, "How To Live With Your Parents," enclosing with your request 20 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Delta Keglers

by Mary Meyer

By now, everyone should be in the usual Christmas rush. Christmas cards, presents hidden in closets, mysterious rustling of paper and wrappings late at night after the kids are asleep.

All of which has nothing to do with bowling, but this column is for women bowlers and we're all doing some or all of these things now.

Monday night, Thelma Hampton had a 212 and a 519 for high game and series on the Powder Puff League. Liberty had high team game and series with 742 and 2060.

Mary Anderson paced the Newcomers Tuesday morning with high game of 188 and high series of 481. Team #1 took high team game and series with 553 and 1489.

On the Tuesday morning Housewives, Betty Estes led the field with high game of 204 and high series of 533. This girl can fly a plane, swim, fish, golf, knit, sew beautifully, you name it, she does it and does it well. The Strikers had high team game and series with 652 and 1848.

With the Imperialettes on Tuesday night, Pearl Freeman had a 183 for high game and Peggy Godwin a 482 for high series. Crown Finance had 718 for high team game and 2023 was the three game total high series for L & A Laundry.

On the Delta Keglers, also on Tuesday night, Peggy Dickson had high game of 203 and Jean Lee a three game high series of 537. A word here about Jean Lee. Jean is one of those consistent bowlers. You'll nearly always find her total in the high 400's or 500's, 600 too, but that not so often. After all! Ziegenhorn Insurance had both high team game and series with 824 and 2346.

On Wednesday night, with the Royal Keglers, Lil Acord had a 210 for high game and Norma Baker a 536 for high series. Alcorn had high team game of 855 and A & B Oil a 2388 for high team series.

With the Friday Bowlettes, Jena Hopwood had high game and series with a 177 and a 507. Shy's Rexall had high team game and series with a 742 and a 2213.

My thanks to all the secretaries. They all contacted me; didn't have to call anyone.



SYLVIA NICKENS

SYLVIA NICKENS, a trainee of the Practical Nurse Training Program, models the very latest in "hospital fashions" at the Nurses' party. A drawsheet plus other accessories peculiar to hospitals made up this attractive costume.

Happenstance. The head of an electronics company was being interviewed. "How do you stumble upon all these new electronic products?" asked the newsman. Pointing to a huge research building across the street, the executive smiled and replied, "See that over there? We maintain a Stumbling Department for that very purpose."—Dan Bennett

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My sports car is so small I have to pay parking tickets in Juvenile Court.—Bob McFadden

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A Russian who lives happily under the present system of government in Russia must either believe that man has no soul, or that, if he has, it is not worth developing.—Oscar Wilde

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An announcer for station KELP, El Paso, Texas, ended his commercial announcement with: "You can get all these bargains at Meyers, located midway between the downtown traffic mess and the Five Points traffic-circle bottleneck."

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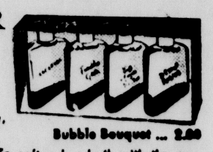
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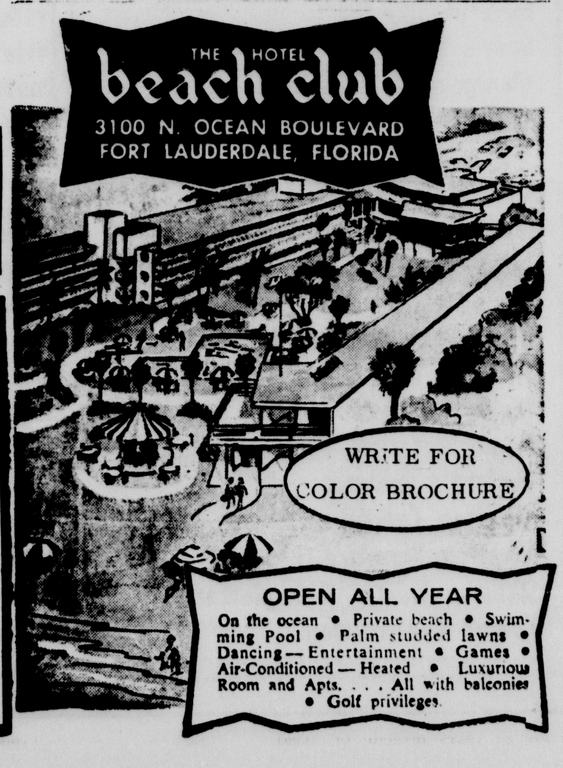


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Oran Wins Over Scott City For Championship

ORAN -- The Eagles overcame a big obstacle here Saturday night by beating the Scott City Rams, 67-59, who was the darkhorse of the tourney. They upset two seeded teams in qualifying for the championship game. Woodland settled down to finish third by winning over College High 66-62.

ORAN (67)
SCOTT CITY (59)

Neither team could break loose in the first quarter of play both scoring 11 points. The second period proved to be the winning frame for Oran as they beat down Scott City to a seven point deficit ending first-half play.

From the third period the lapse of the game Oran held their lead, scoring one point more than Scott City 36-35, making the final score 67-59.

Oran (67)

Scoring: R. Johnson 23, Metz 17, Anderson 8, Stimely 8, Hahn 6, Roberts 3, and Bullinger 2.

Scott City (59)

Scoring: Glass 20, Sander 12, Waddlington 8, Dopp 7, McSwain 6, Miller 6.

Scores By Quarters:

	1	2	3	4	T
Oran	11	20	16	20	67
Scott City	11	13	14	21	59

WOODLAND (66)
COLLEGE HIGH (62)

The Cardinals got off to a two-point lead the first period, but led by a thin one-point the first half.

Led by sharp-shooting Hahs, who scored a sizzling 26 points, Woodland increased their lead to four going into the final frame. College High could not make up the deficit, but scored evenly with Woodland the fourth period, to give Woodland the 66-62 victory.

Woodland (66)

Scoring: Hahs 25, Seabaugh 14, Teeters 10, Crites 10, Long 6, and Stone 1.

College High (62)

Scoring: Langston 26, Heuer 12, Dodson 9, Duschell 9, and Ford 6.

Scores By Quarters:

	1	2	3	4	T
Woodland	12	20	19	15	66
College High	10	21	16	15	62



THE ORAN EAGLES are standing over the first place trophy won in their own Basketball Invitational Tournament. They won over Scott City in the championship game. This was the tenth annual tourney to be held at Oran.

Bloomfield Wins 8th Straight

POPLAR BLUFF -- Playing before the largest crowd to be in the Poplar Bluff gymnasium in recent years for a scheduled game, the Bloomfield Wildcats continue their undefeated season, rolling to their 8th straight win by slipping by the Poplar Bluff Mules 48-39 Saturday night. They got the double takes by winning the "B" game 42-34.

The story was that Bloomfield had too much offense for the tough defense of the Mules.

The Wildcats have been ranked number one in Southeast Missouri from the outset of the season and from where it stands now, they will still be number one.

Bloomfield pounced to an early lead over the Mules and led at half-time 26-14.

Hitting one of their rare cold streaks, the Wildcats twelve-point lead vanished the third period, taking six minutes to score. Poplar Bluff then tied the game with two minutes left. Going for the last shot Bloomfield held the ball, and with seconds left, Dennis Galespie scored being fouled on the play. He hit the free throw, giving Bloomfield a five point advantage going into the final frame. At this point Bloomfield hit their delay game, holding onto their lead to win 48-39.

In the "B" contest, ace Bill White led the Bloomfield attack offensively by smacking the nets for 13. Arant was the Mules leader with 13.

"B" Game
Bloomfield (42)

High Scorer: Bill White 13

Poplar Bluff (34)

High Scorer: Arant 13

Varsity Game
Bloomfield (48)

Scorers: Galespie 16, Wise 12, White 11, Gaines 7, D. Underwood 2.

Poplar Bluff (39)

Scorers: Henson 11, Dunning 10, Belknap 8, Holzman 6, Mitchell 3, and Tinsley 1.

Score By Quarters:

	1	2	3	4	T
Bloomfield	15	11	8	15	48
Poplar Bluff	9	5	15	10	39

Shooting Percentages:

	FG	FT
Bloomfield	31	79
Poplar Bluff	38	64

Sport Shavings

By
DAN WHITTLE

Warm Water Fishing Found

Warm-water fishing throughout the winter no longer seems at all remarkable to anglers who frequent Montrose Wildlife Management Area.

These fishermen spend the fall waiting for the waterfowl season to end so they will be free to fish Montrose Lake. In this respect, Montrose is no different from the Duck Creek Wildlife Management Area near Puxico, because fishing begins at both places as soon as the duck season closes. This year the duck season ended Dec. 8, so fishing began Dec. 9.

But Duck Creek has no warm water and Montrose does. The difference is in the fact that Montrose Lake is the cooling water supply for generators at the plant of the Kansas City Power and Light Co., owners of the lake. The lake and surrounding area are managed by the Conservation Commission under agreement with the firm.

The water drawn from the lake to cool the machines is returned to the lake after it has done its job. It carries with it the heat it picked up en route, and this warmth, concentrated at one end of the lake, keeps a large area free of ice all winter. The warm water also attracts fish which, of course, attract fishermen.

Opening - day anglers reported fine catches of crappie, carp and channel catfish. Bass and panfish are also among the species taken from the warm water. About 150 anglers opened the Montrose season.

If the warm water creates good fishing conditions, fishing ought to be better than ever this year. It will be the first season of use for a new generator, and three machines will create a larger area of warmer water than did the two generators in use previously.

Boats and minnows are available at the lake. No fishing fee is required except for the state fishing permit.

Duck Creek does not have warm water, but it does have excellent fishing. Many large catches are reported there each winter.

Passing Will Be Pitted Against Rushing

By MIKE RATHET

The Baltimore Colts vs. the Cleveland Browns for the National Football League championship. Johnny Unitas vs. Jimmy Brown.

The ideal test — Passing vs. Rushing.

But it's not that simple. Despite the fact that Unitas and Brown are the acknowledged leaders in their respective phases of the game each team has multiple offensive weapons and proved it in final regular seasons games.

The Browns clinched their first Eastern Division title since 1957 by crushing the New York Giants 52-20 as Frank Ryan fired five touchdown passes. Lenny Moore and Ray Berry played key roles for the Western Division champion Colts Sunday, setting records in a 45-17 romp over Washington.

Taking the three standouts from each team in those games reveals some intriguing match-ups for the championship game at Cleveland, Dec. 27.

PASSING

Unitas — Passed for two touchdowns and wound up the season with 158 completions, a 51 per cent accuracy mark 2,827 yards gained and 19 TD's. He had six passes intercepted.

Ryan — Finished the season with 174 completions, a 52 per cent mark, 2,404 yards and 25 TD's. He had 19 passes stolen.

RUSHING

Moore— Scored two touchdowns and brought his total to 20, breaking the record set by Jim Taylor of Green Bay in 1962. Gained 584 yards during the season for a 3.7 average.

Brown — Scored one touchdown for 105 during his career, tying the record held by Green Bay's Don Hutson. Gained 1,446 yards during the season for a 5.2 average.

RECEIVING

Berry — Caught five passes for a career total of 506 —three more than the record held by Bill Howton of Green Bay and Dallas. Has caught 43 passes this year for 663 yards and six TDs.

Paul Warfield — Caught five passes for total of 52 and 920 yards, scoring once for a total of nine touchdowns. Warfield is the first Brown since Mac Speedie in 1952 to catch more than 50 passes.

In addition, the teams produced two of the league's top three-point scorers with Moore winning the title with 120 points to 115 for Cleveland's Lou Groza and Jim Bakken of St. Louis.

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Missouri And Nebraska Are Surprised

By JIM VAN VALKENBURG
Associated Press Sports Writer

Nebraska and Missouri are providing the early season surprises in Big Eight basketball, as Kansas State, Kansas and Oklahoma State have failed so far to reach their high pre-season rating.

Nebraska startled Michigan, ranked no. 1 nationally, 74-73 at Lincoln on a goal by Fred Hare in the dying seconds. Missouri, lightly regarded in the pre-season forecasts, dealt fourth-ranked St. Louis its first defeat, 62-56 at Columbia with rugged Ned Monsees leading the way.

K - State was elevated to the role of no. 1 favorite just before opening day when 6 - foot - 7 George Unseld, a 21 - point scorer in Big Eight play last year, quit the Kansas squad. The veteran Oklahoma State squad was hurt in October by the loss of 6-9 Bob Swaffar.

Talented Penn State, without a starter over 6-5, used a tough zone defense and a swift, clever attack to edge both Kansas teams in the Sunflower doubleheader. The Nittany Lions nicked Kansas 50-48 Friday with a K-State crowd of 11,900 cheering them on.

Richland Loses To Advance In Tourney Final

RICHLAND -- Saturday night the Richland Rebels stumbled in the championship game against Advance and went down to defeat 77-54. The consolation contest was played between Puxico and Greenville, Puxico winning by 83-81.

ADVANCE (77)
RICHLAND (54)

High Scoring Bob Marooney again led the Advance attack with 34 points still puzzling opposing teams as to how to stop him. Sophomore guard Morgan followed with 16.

Advance quickly jumped out in front and led at the end of the first quarter 20-15. Richland never saw them from there.

Kelly was high for Richland with 12.

Advance (77)

Scorers: Marooney 34, Morgan 16, Kirkpatrick 10, Hudson 9, Winchester 4, Ledbetter 2, and Kinder 2.

Richland (54)

Scorers: Kelly 12, Early 8, McAnulty 8, J. Williamson 7, M. Williamson 7, Mason 9, and Triplett 2.

Score By Quarters:

	1	2	3	4	T
Advance	20	21	16	20	77
Richland	15	14	14	11	54

PUXICO (83)
GREENVILLE (81)

Puxico won the third place trophy by downing Greenville 83-81 in a closely fought contest.

Puxico went out front the first period 24-21. Greenville scrapped back the second frame to lead at half-time 44-42, and held that lead until the fourth quarter, when they were tied with 30 seconds left in the game. Crites of Puxico sank a 20 foot jumper from the corner with 20 seconds left and Greenville didn't score after getting the ball back.

Puxico (83)

Scorers: Corse 28, Morse 16, Zoll 17, Crites 13, Skates 5, Tanner 2, and Francis 2.

Greenville (81)

Scorers: Farmer 22, Harlow 20, Lubla 11, Stuart 8, McLean 13, and Elayer 7.

Score By Quarters:

	1	2	3	4	T
Puxico	24	18	18	23	83
Greenville	21	23	18	19	81

Perryville Gets Victory Number Six

PERRYVILLE — One of the surprise teams of the year, Perryville, bettered their record to 6-1 by downing Crystal City Saturday night 75-67.

Their only defeat came to them via way of Poplar Bluff in the Conference Tournament when playing for the championship game, with Bluff winning 48-45.

Perryville led at halftime 33-31. Led by Trapp, Taylor and Smith the Pirates pulled out front by seven going into the final quarter. Crystal City trying a comeback in the fourth quarter scored 25 big points, but Perryville held on getting a late quarter surge to score 26 in conserving the victory.

Crystal City won the "B" game 54-21. Donnell led their assault with 15 big ones. Tucker was high for the losing Perryville with 12.

Varsity Game
Perryville (75)

Scorers: Smith 20, Trapp 19, Taylor 18, Littleton 9, Fritshe 5, Johnson 2, Carron 1, and Tucker 1.

Crystal City (67)

Scorers: Patterson 17, Smith 14, Blunk 10, Hurst 7, DeGeare 5, W. Patterson 4, Strickland 3, Thomason 3, McCraw 2, Casey 2.

Score by Quarters

	1	2	3	4	T
Perryville	16	17	16	26	75
Crystal City	13	18	11	25	67

Thaumaturgy is the performance of magic.

The debating society organized by Benjamin Franklin was known as the Junta.

Old Pros Corner

Lets just say the Old Pro has nothing to say at this time about past predicitions. He is to talk about the future, not the past.

Tonight:

Sikeston against Jackson — Jackson better hold onto their seats tonight, for the Bulldogs have installed their teeth. Sikeston by 8.

Tuesday Night:

Morehouse at Risco — The Tigers will win tonight, which ones you say, why the Morehouse Tigers. Morehouse by 25.

Oran at Scott Central —Oran will win over Central, but Central bears careful consideration from the Eagles. Oran by 10.

Matthews at Bernie — Matthews will be the victors not the victims in this game. Matthews by 10.

Woodland at Richland—Richland, being unpredictable, is being predicted to win. The Rebs by 20.

Chaffee at East Prairie — Having jelled, the Red Devils will come home with a victory. Chaffee by 15.

S. Pemiscot at Senath-Hornersville — Senate will continue to romp. Senath by 10.

Bloomfield at Bell City — Bell City begin running. Bloomfield by 20.

Lilbourn at Parma — This is the third time this season these teams have faced one another and this will be the third time Lilbourn has beat Parma. Lilbourn by 6.

Number Two Wichita Takes On Michigan

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Unbeaten Wichita, the nation's no. 2 team, catches top-ranked Michigan in a bound-back mood tonight at Detroit in the nation's top game. It overshadows a three-game Missouri Valley conference card.

Wichita claimed the no. 1 spot after breezing past Brigham Young 81-65 Saturday night at Wichita with All America Dave Stallworth getting 26 points and 13 rebounds. Michigan was upset at Nebraska, 74-73.

Wichita and Bradley both are off to 4-0 starts this season. The Valley has won 22 of 28 games with outside teams. Bradley clipped South Dakota 100-72 at Peoria, Drake got an impressive 95-71 victory at Michigan State and North Texas won 70-54 at Denton over Arkansas State of Jonesboro.

Cincinnati spoiled Louisville's Valley debut, 67 - 57 at Cincy, and gave the Cardinals their first defeat of the season. Louisville is competing for the Valley title for the first time.

St. Louis was the only Valley loser Saturday night, 62 - 56 to Missouri at Columbia. The Bills, ranked fourth nationally, took their first defeat in four games. Billiken sophomore Bob Co came off the bench with 13 points but it wasn't enough as the smaller Tigers outhustled St. Louis with 6 - foot - 5, 230-pound Ned Monsees leading the way.

Game Of Week

Sikeston Bulldogs face the Jackson Indians tonight going for their second win of the season. This game should show whether last weeks victory was a fluke or not. If it was, the game will be close for Jackson does not have a powerful team. Dexter upset them in the tournament last week.

American Football League
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
Buffalo	11	2	0	.846	376	228
Boston	10	2	1	.833	351	273
New York	5	7	1	.417	261	291
Houston	3	10	0	.231	276	340

Western Division

San Diego	8	4	1	.667	321	279
Kan. City	6	7	0	.462	342	299
Oakland	4	7	2	.364	282	330
Denver	2	10	1	.167	225	404

Sunday's Results
Kansas City 49, San Diego 6
Buffalo 30, Denver 19
Houston 33, New York 17

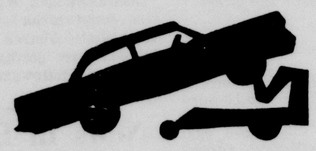
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Missouri's Jim Symington - Lawyer and Musician

By John R. Cauley in the Kansas City Times

Washington - When Robert F. Kennedy asked James W. Symington to leave his job as deputy director of the Food and Peace agency and come to the Justice department as an administrative assistant, the 34-year-old son of the senator from Missouri did not take long to accept.

In any other administration a young executive so close to the top in a federal agency would hardly feel flattered to be asked to be an assistant to an attorney general.

But Bob Kennedy, as brother of the President, is in one of the most important seats of power in the administration and his influence extends widely through every layer of the government. Obviously, an opportunity to work so close to the attorney general had an irresistible appeal to young Symington.

"How could anyone in the law decline this job?" Symington asks.

"Then, too, Bob Kennedy has a wide variety of interests and because of this I knew I could learn more about government, the relationship of the Justice department with other agencies and have an opportunity to deal with more people.

BEFORE THE CONVENTION

"Bob and I were on opposite sides before the Democratic convention. I knew he was capable."

Then with a wry smile, Symington added, "I had that demonstrated to me."

Symington succeeded John Seigenthaler who resigned to become editor of the Nashville Tennessean.

Jim had never met the attorney general until some months after the 1960 convention.

After John F. Kennedy was nominated over Stuart Symington, Bob telephoned Jim and enlisted his support for the campaign.

Jim, who first burst into the political limelight by playing the guitar in his father's campaign for the Senate in 1952, made speeches for Mr. Kennedy in 15 states, appearing mostly before audiences of university students. He sent in reports to Bob Kennedy and their friendship began to ripen.

After the election Jim joined a Washington law firm where he specialized in corporate and transportation matters.

Then George McGovern whom Symington had met when McGovern had unsuccessfully sought a Senate seat in South Dakota, was named head of the Food for Peace agency and he asked Symington to be his deputy.

He was at the food agency for about a year and spent three months of that time on missions throughout Latin America.

LIAISON MAN

At the Justice department Jim works at a desk just outside the office of the attorney - general.

He is the liaison man for the attorney general with other agencies in matters of mutual interest, serves on committees dealing with the White House and State department, and channels important mail to Kennedy's desk. He also confers with Democratic leaders on political issues.

On occasion he assists Andrew F. Oehmann, executive assistant to the attorney general, on a variety of legal matters which are sent to Kennedy by divisions in the department.

Jim Symington is an extremely versatile and vigorous young man. He has some of the mannerisms of his father, such as asking at the end of a sentence, "Ya see?"

Two or three mornings a week he plays tennis before breakfast. He studies Russian and Spanish, has taken a rapid reading course, paints, writes poetry and can type and take dictation. At Yale, where he was graduated with an A.B. degree in 1950, he was lightweight boxing champion.

While attending law school at Columbia univeristy he appeared with his guitar in New York supper clubs and on radio and television programs.

IN THE MARINES

After high school, Jim enlisted in the Marines, and was discharged in 1946 as a private first class. After practicing law in St. Louis he served as a special assistant to the American ambassador to the Court of St. James's, John Hay Whitney, a second cousin of his mother.

Asked if he had any political ambitions, Jim hedged a bit.

"Let's put it this way," he replied with a grin. "I have a great interest in politics and I think everyone should."

He is married to the former Miss Sylvia Schlapp of St. Louis The Symingtons have two children, Julie, 7, and Jeremy. Jim has a brother, Stuart (Tim) Symington, Jr., a lawyer in St. Louis.

Democratic Congress

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — Missouri's Democratic congressmen won reelection easily, the official canvass showed today, but the two Republicans had a harder time.

In the 2nd District of St. Louis County, Rep. Thomas B. Curtis, veteran Republican member, was challenged by Democrat Sidney B. McClanahan. Curtis polled 130,894 votes, McClanahan 115,446.

In the Republican 7th District of southwestern Missouri, Rep. Durward G. Hall of Springfield was opposed by Democrat James A. Thomas of Joplin.

Hall, who had campaigned for Sen. Barry Goldwater for months, got 102,924 votes, Thomas 96,120.

In the only district where there was a vacancy, William L. Hungate of Troy defeated Anthony C. Schroeder, Union Republican, for both the short term and the regular term. Hungate already has been sworn in as successor to the late Clarence Cannon, Elsberry Democrat who died last May.

In the special election for the unexpired term Hungate got 102,422, Schroeder 61,439.

In the regular election for the full two-year term it was Hungate 112,907, Schroeder 68-032 and Hubert Willis of Atlanta, running as an Independent, 201.

None of the official counts changed the unofficial results reported election night by the Associated Press and the Network Election service.

Here are the tallies in the other districts, all won by Democrats:

1st—Rep. Frank M. Karsten, 140,848, Theodore J. Fischer 42,351.

3rd—Rep. Leonor K. Sullivan, 123,193, Howard C. Ohlendorf 48,709.

4th—Rep. William J. Randall, 109,375, James M. Taylor 61,854.

5th — Rep. Richard Bolling 91,721, Robert B. Langworthy 43,314.

6th—Rep. W. R. Hull 110,532, Henry E. Wurst 60,356.

8th—Rep. Richard B. Ichord 117,672, Ben A. Rogers 62,823.

10th—Rep. Paul C. Jones 89,698, Carl Franklin Painter 43,304.

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TALKS USEFUL -- President Johnson bids goodbye to Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko after their meeting at the White House. Gromyko told newsmen that they had discussed disarmament and other matters and described the talks as "useful." (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Must You Send Christmas Card?

By Jack Harrison Pollack

More than 3 billion Christmas cards will jam the U.S. mails this month. The average family will send about 60, chosen from a whopping variety of 50,000.

Yuletide cards are designed for every relative imaginable -- and for your boss, neighbor, clergyman, doctor, milkman and newsboy. One card says: Merry Christmas From Our Dog To Your Dog!

The father of the American Christmas card industry was Louis Prang, a German immigrant lithographer who began producing holiday cards in Roxbury, Mass., in 1875. A woman employee suggested to Prang: Why not add the words "Merry Christmas" to the small floral cards? He did, and his business flourished.

Today, however, instead of being a pleasure, sending holiday cards is apt to be just one more time - consuming chore in an already overcrowded season. Because the burden is in danger of replacing the joy of card-sending, Parade interviewed leading etiquette experts to find out their answers to the most commonly asked questions about Christmas cards:

Q. Must I send a Christmas card to everybody who sends one to me?

A. No. A Christmas card doesn't need a reply. It should be a spontaneous, friendly greeting.

Q. Should I send Christmas cards to my Jewish friends?

A. Do not send Christmas cards to Orthodox Jews. It is all right to send them to the overwhelming majority of American Jews. However, it is more thoughtful not to send cards which portray religious themes such as the Nativity, Holy Family and Christ Child.

Q. Whose name is written first -- a husband's or a wife's?

A. It is courteous for the person who signs the card to write his or her name last. If a wife signs the card for herself and her husband, it should read, "Ed and Peggy" or "Ed and Peggy Smith."

Q. Whose name comes first when the names of husband and wife are printed or engraved?

A. The wife's, generally.

Q. Should "Mr. and Mrs." or "Miss" be used in signatures?

A. No. Presumably you're sending Christmas cards to friends and don't need to refer to yourself as "Mr. and Mrs."; the abbreviation should also be omitted with formal or business acquaintances.

Q. When children's names are included, what is the correct form?

A. Family signatures always begin with the father's name: e.g., "Ed, Peggy and Jeff." If you have more than one child, you may sign your card: "Ed, Peggy, Jeff, Sue, and Debbie (Smith)." Or "The Five Smiths--Ed, Peggy, Jeff, Sue and Debbie." Don't use the lazy term "and family."

Q. Is it proper to write on Christmas cards?

A. Yes -- more and more people are doing so. Even if it is only a line, a simple, handwritten message always warms up your card.

How shall I address a card if I know only the husband (or the wife)?

A. Address it to both the husband and wife.

Q. How should I address a card to a widow or divorcee?

A. Use the first and last name she prefers.

Q. Are family photographs proper to send as Christmas cards?

A. Yes, to close friends. Some will keep them as a record of your children's year-to-year development. But don't send your "family gallery" to casual acquaintances.

Q. Should Christmas cards be sent sealed or unsealed.

A. Sealed. First-class postage is especially important. Use the colorfull new five-cent Christmas tree stamp. By spending five cents on postage, you may include written messages, and your cards are delivered quicker, will be forwarded or returned to you, if undelivered, without additional postage.

Q. Should I put my full name and address on the envelope or does it look like a bid for a return card?

A. It is both proper and practical to do so. This year the Post Office Department is especially anxious for you to include your ZIP Code number in your return address on your envelopes. Printed stickers of your name and address can also be used. Your return address not only ensures that your cards arrive but enables your friends to update their address book.

Q. Should I send a Christmas card to a friend with a recent death in the family?

A. Yes. People don't shut off contacts with their friends during periods of mourning. Actually, there are special Christmas cards with messages of sympathy just for this purpose.

Q. Should a wife's name be included in her husband's business Christmas cards?

A. Absolutely not! Keep business and personal lists separate! When business Christmas cards are sent, the company should send them, not a wife who isn't a member of the firm.

Q. Is there anything useful we can do with our Christmas cards after the holidays instead of throwing them away?

A. For many years I have sent mine to the children's ward of my local Connecticut hospital. It gives the children pleasure to look at them and provides a plentiful, free supply of material for cutouts and paste-ups. So check with your local hospital before you throw yours away this year.

If you follow these suggestions, a Merry Christmas should be "in the cards" for you!

IT'S UP TO YOU

By
Howard E. Kershner, L.H.D.

The Communists know they cannot hope to deceive all the people outside of the Iron Curtain all the time and that if they cannot destroy capitalism, sooner or later the people of the world will come to realize that they can enjoy much more freedom and prosperity under that system than they can ever achieve by socialism or communism. Therefore, communism must detroy capitalism or perish.

That is the strategy. The next consideration is one of tactics. How shall they proceed to reach their goal? The free world is and always has been much stronger than the Communist world -- therefore, they do not resort to war. Since no free nation has ever voted for communism, they must proceed to destroy capitalism by means other than war or the votes of the people. Their only hope as Stalin said, is to enter through the back door -- to slip up, so to speak, on the blind side of the people, to deceive them by the methods of Fabian Socialism.

For instance, the Tennesse Valley Authority is socialism and to that extent it destroyed capitalism. Every government-owned utility is socialism and to that extent it destroys capitalism. The government farm program and the regulation of banking and transportation are socialism and greatly limit the operation of free market capitalism in the areas involved.

Social Security and the proposed medical program are socialism. The Federal, state and the municipal relief programs are socialism and help to destroy the basis of a free capitalistic society. The proposed federalization of education and state and Federal intervention in labor problems along with public support of striking workers are socialism and help to destroy capitalism.

All forms of government intervention in the economic activities of the people help to destroy capitalism and to promote socialism. They all, therefore, receive the approval of the Communist tacticians. Such actions lead them to believe, rightly, that it is not necessary for them to destroy capitalism but that we are proceeding to do it ourselves. In other words, as the high-ranking official in Moscow said to me: "We do not have to fight you or urge you. We shall wait until you walk voluntarily into our camp."

The Communists cannot overthrow us by force and they cannot induce our people to vote for socialism or communism as one big revolutionary change, but they gleefully watch us march steadily towards their goal. We are doing this in two ways:

First, by destroying capitalism through the Faolan route to socialism and second, by strengthening communism and socialism through appeasement and cooperation with it. Many times we have had the opportunity to have destroyed communism but we have refrained from doing so, preferring rather the program of compromise, appeasement and gradual surrender. In other words, because the people will not see and will not act, the capitalism which could complete the destruction of poverty and bless the world with a freedom and prosperity never before known and unrealizable in any other way, is now living out its last troubled days as the people who discovered, developed and profited by it hasten down the road toward the suffering and enslavement which socialism --alias communism, holds in store for them.

Howard E. Kershner

IT NEVER FAILS

When I approach a traffic light,
When driving my own car,
It's sure to be on "green"
each time
I see it from afar.
But, just as I drive up to it
Behind another fellow
He manages to drive right through
But, I am caught on "yellow!" —V. A. Grant

Southeast Missouri Council, Boy Scouts Theme For Month -"To Help Others"

To Help Others is the theme for 113 Boy Scout troops in the Southeast Missouri Council, Boy Scouts of America, for December with a special emphasis on emergency preparedness training and troop Good Turn projects.

"A Scout must be prepared at any time to save life and to help injured persons," J. C. Newcomers, Bloomfield, the council Scout commissioner explained, "and this month the Scouts will be practicing first aid with guidance from members of first aid squads and fire departments."

The December theme for Cub Scout packs is Winter Festival, and there will be special Christmas or Hanukkah celebrations, Newcomer said. Many of the 87 Cub Scout packs have asked their members to make personal; voluntary gifts to the World Friendship Fund which the Boy Scouts of America maintains to help establish Scouting in newly established countries and refugee camps.

High - School - age Explorers will also select a holiday party theme and will take part in other activities. Suggested events include the analysis of a large business involving several occupational fields such as sales production, distribution, advertising, and accounting and an On Target theme designed to help each Explorer understand the importance of making decisions and to aid him in doing so, Newcomer said.

All Cub Scout packs, Boy Scout troops, and Explorer posts are concluding in December the Frontier Roundup, the national fall recruiting program, and are inducting new members and recognizing outstanding recruiters.

A woman inching through the traffic in downtown Atlanta one morning struck up a conversation with a fellow in the adjacent car. Noting that it was 9:30, she remarked, "Well, I'm glad I wasn't in that 8:30 traffic."

"I hate to tell you this, lady," the man replied, "but this is the 8:30 traffic." —Norman Shavin

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Let us have faith that right makes might. — Abraham Lincoln

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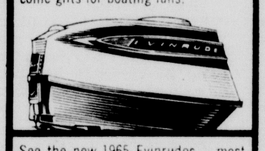
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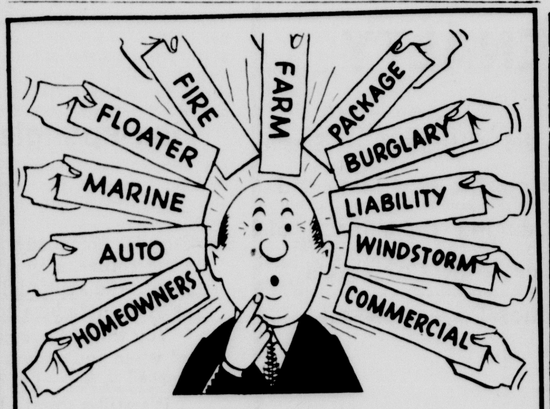


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The Christmas Story

Now it came to pass in those days, there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be enrolled. This was the first enrollment made when Quirinius was governor of Syria. And all went to enroll themselves, every one to his own city. And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, to the city of David, which is called Bethlehem, because she who was betrothed to him being great with child. And it came to pass, while they were there, the days were fulfilled that she should be delivered. And she brought forth her firstborn son; and she wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were shepherds in the same country abiding in the field, and keeping watch by night over their flock. And an angel of the Lord stood by them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them, Be not afraid; for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which will be to all people; for there is born to you this day in the city of David, a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. And this is the sign unto you: Ye shall find a babe wrapped in swaddling clothes and lying in a manger. And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, Glory to God in the highest, And on earth peace among men in whom he is well pleased.

And it came to pass, when the angels went away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing that is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us. And they came with haste, and found both Mary and Joseph, and the babe lying in the manger. And when they saw it, they made known concerning the saying which was spoken to them about this child. And all that heard it wondered at the things which were spoken unto them by the shepherds. But Mary kept all these sayings, pondering them in her heart. And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things that had been heard and seen, even as it was spoken unto them.

And when eight days were fulfilled for circumcising him, his name was called Jesus, which was so called by the angel before he was conceived in the womb.

And when the days of their purification according to the law of Moses were fulfilled, they brought him up to Jerusalem, to present him to the Lord and to offer a sacrifice according to that which is said in the law of the Lord, a pair of turtledoves, of two young pigeons. And behold, there was a man in Jerusalem, whose name was Simeon; and this man was righteous and devout, looking for the consolation in Israel: and the Holy Spirit was upon him. And it had been revealed unto him by the Holy Spirit, that he should not see death before he had seen the Lord's Christ. And he came into the Spirit into the temple; and when the parents brought in the child Jesus, that they might do concerning him after the custom of the law, then he received him unto his arms, and blessed God, and said, Now lettest thou thy servant depart, Lord, according to thy word, in peace; For mine eyes have seen thy salvation, which thou hast prepared before the fact of all the peoples; A light for revelation to the Gentiles, And the Glory of thy people Israel.

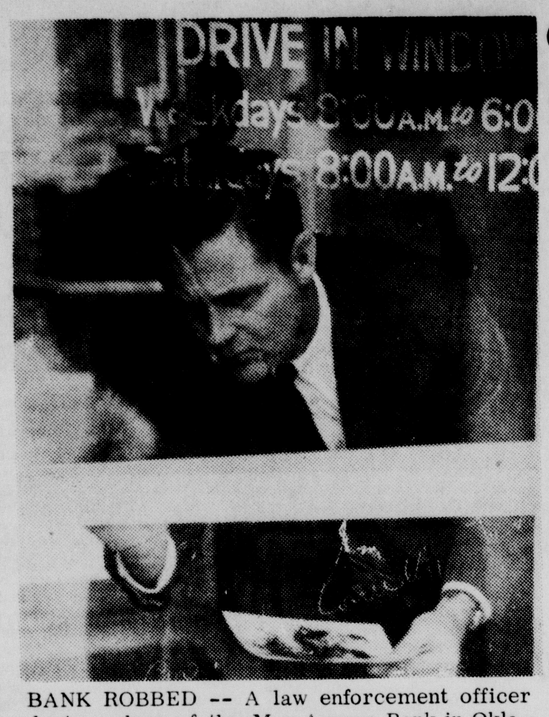
And his father and his mother were marveling at the things which were spoken concerning him; and Simeon blessed them, and said unto Mary his mother, Behold, this child is set for the falling and rising of many in Israel; and for a sign which is spoken against; yea and a sword shall pierce through thine own soul; that thoughts of our many hearts may be revealed. And there was one Anna, a prophetess, the daughter of Phanuel, of the tribe of Asher, who departed not from the temple, worshipping with fastings and supplications night and day. And coming up at that very hour she gave thanks unto God, and spake of him to all them that they were looking for the redemption of Jerusalem. And when they had accomplished all things that were according to the law of the Lord, they returned into Galilee, to their own city Nazareth.

And the child grew, and waxed strong, filled with wisdom: and the grace of God was upon him.

And his parents went every year to Jerusalem at the feast of the passover. And when he was twelve years old, they went up after the custom of the feast; and when they had fulfilled the days, as they were returning, the boy Jesus tarried behind in Jerusalem; and his parents knew it not; but supposing him to be in the company, and they went a day's journey; and they sought for him their kinfolk and acquaintance; and when they found him not they returned to Jerusalem, seeking him. And it came to pass, after three days they found him in the temple sitting in the midst of the teachers, both hearing them, and asking them questions: and all that heard him were amazed at his understanding and his answers.

And when they saw him, they were astonished; and his mother said unto him, Son, why has thou dealt with us? behold thy father and I sought thee sorrowing. And he said unto them, How is it that ye sought me? know ye not that I must be in my Father's house? And they understood not saying which he spake unto them. And he went down with them, and came to Nazareth; and he was subject unto them: and his mother kept all these sayings in her heart.

And Jesus advanced in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and men.



BANK ROBBED -- A law enforcement officer dusts a door of the May Avenue Bank in Oklahoma City, Okla., after a lone gunman held up the bank and took $27,600. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Pemiscot County News

COTTON HARVESTING LOSS HIGH

A survey by experiment stations of the delta and others interested showed that only 89 per cent of the cotton produced got into the cotton trailers last year.

In 1964 a belt wide program to check harvesting efficiency indicate the 11 per cent field loss is conservative. In Pemiscot County harvesting efficiency showed field losses of 4 to 20 per cent. Field losses in all states ran from 4 to 30 per cent with 16 to 20 per cent being common.

The fact that some farmers were able to cut their field losses of cotton to four or five per cent is proof that it can be done.

Using average yields and doing an efficient job of harvesting could mean 46 more pounds of lint harvested per acre. At 30 cents per pound this improved efficiency could give the grower about $12 more per acre.

A concerted beltwide effort will be made in 1965 by the Cooperative Extension Service, mechanical harvestor manufacturers and local dealers with the support from the National Cotton Council and industry organizations to implement the picker efficiency program.

The closely coordinated program will include wide distribution of printed materials, visual aids, organizational meetings, training courses and etc. Emphasis will center on four main areas — plant and field conditions, machine preparation, farm owner and machine operation in the field.

Remember, when you put up beds this winter or early next spring you'll be affecting harvest next fall. Lack of uniformity and accuracy of row width was one of the common causes of low picker efficiency.

Turn rows need to be twice the length of the picker to eliminate having to hand pick the row ends.

GOP Factions May Be Given Voice in Policies

WASHINGTON (AP) — Squabbling Republican factions seem likely to be offered a policy-making voice in a unity move aimed at quieting the party moderates' protests against national Chairman Dean Burch.

Sen. Barry Goldwater said after meeting in New York Wednesday with former President Dwight D. Eisenhower and former Vice President Richard M. Nixon that they agree party leadership problems can best be solved by the National Committee.

This was interpreted in Washington by some influential Republicans as indicating that the defeated GOP presidential nominee hopes to save Burch's job by having the National Committee set up an all-faction leadership council to voice party policies.

Burch, who represents Goldwater's conservative views, thus would be subordinated as a spokesman for the party.

Committee members confirmed reports that Goldwater and Rep. William E. Miller, the GOP vice-presidential nominee have kept the phone lines hot trying to drum up support for Burch at the forthcoming Jan. 22-23 showdown meeting of the committee in Chicago.

Miller, who preceded Burch as national chairman, denied he was making any canvass of the committee.

"I'm just practicing law," he said.

Republican governors already have proposed setting up a policy council. Such a move has been approved by House minority leader Charles A. Halleck of Indiana. Senate Republican leader Everett M. Dirksen of Illinois has indicated a willingness to consider the proposal.

Although some of the governors have called for the replacement of Burch, they thus far have been unable to find a candidate willing to have his name put up as a rival.

Lop-Sided Majorities Won by State Senate Candidates

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — Fifteen incumbents and two new members of the Missouri State Senate piled up one-sided majorities in the general election, the official canvass by the Secretary of State's office showed today.

Five incumbents had no opposition—veteran Sen. Michael Kinney, D-St. Louis, in the 5th district; Sen. Nelson B. Tinnin, D - Hornersville, in the 23rd; Sen. J. F. Patterson, D - Caruthersville, in the 25th; Sen. Noel Cox, R-Ozark, in the 29th, and Sen. Thomas G. Woolsey, R-Versailles, in the 33rd.

The two new members are former Rep. Paul M. Berra, D-St. Louis, in the 3rd, and former Rep. A. Clifford Jones, R-St. Louis County, in the 7th. Berra succeeds the late Sen. William E. Hilsman, D-St. Louis, and Jones takes over the seat formerly held by Sen. William Macon, R-St. Louis County.

In the 3rd District, Berra beat Lawrence Presley, R, 31,525 to 11,699.

In the 7th, Jones defeated George A. Craft, D, 46,545 to 26,905.

Here are the results in the other districts, except the 13th where the tally was incomplete. All confirmed the unofficial returns compiled election night by the Associated Press.

1st District — Sen. Edgar J. Keating, D-Kansas City, 40,700, Walter W. Salisbury, R-Kansas City, 10,666.

11th — Sen. Jasper M. Brancato, D - Kansas City, 32,704, John Paul Jones, R - Kansas City, 14,221.

15th District — Sen. John J. Johnson, D - St. Louis County, 42,255, Harold E. Scheppner, R-St. Louis County, 25,483.

17th District — Sen. William B. Waters, D - Liberty, 34,372, Paul S. Giovagnoli, R - North Kansas City, 16,381.

19th District—Sen. A. Basey Vanlandingham, D - Columbia, 38,813, Kenneth J. Haviland, R-St. Catherine, 15,599.

21st District—Sen. Omer H. Avery, D-Troy, 36,259, Mrs. J. C. Parrish, R - Vandalia, 14,851.

27th District—Sen. Albert M. Spradling, D - Cape Girardeau, 32,407, Ruben R. Schade, R-Cape Girardeau, 13,644.

31st District — Sen. William J. Cason, D-Clinton, 29,559, C. Vern Peak, R-Rich Hill, 16,735.

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Sikeston, Mo.

Merry Christmas, Daughter Dear, I wish that you and your family were here, to add to the laughter and add to the cheer. To help with the baking, so busy we'd be, and in our spare time, we could decorate the tree.

We could wrap all the presents, with paper so bright,
And I would remember, one more Christmas night.

The night long ago, when you were just six, we had all the presents, we had everything fixed,
And there came a loud laughter, a loud oh, ho, ho, ho,
And Santa came in, from out in the snow.

Your eyes lit up like a candle so bright, to see Santa Claus that glorious night. I'll never forget it as long as I live, the little blonde girl, with blue eyes, so big, To have you with us, today, Daughter Dear, to add to the laughter and Christmas cheer, would be like that Christmas, so long ago, When Santa Claus came, from out in the snow.

Mrs. Norma Jean Klekamp
Huntsville, Ala.

Dear Editor:

We wish we could thank personally all of the editors of the nation's press who have carried news of CARE's work so consistently for the past 18 years. As the holidays approach, we want to express our deep appreciation for this cooperation.

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In its endeavors, CARE represents the American people across the world. From all of us at CARE who are proud to be agents of American goodwill, and on behalf of those who benefit, our best wishes to you and your staff for a joyous Holiday season.

Sincerely,
Frank L. Goffio

Credit Administration Is Expecting More Changes

MIAMI BEACH — The prospect of a continuing and perhaps even an accelerated period of change within agriculture was predicted here Monday by a national farm credit official — Glenn G. Browne, Deputy Governor and Director of Land Bank Service for the Farm Credit Administration.

Here to address a conference of directors of the nation's 37 Farm Credit Banks, through which farmers and their cooperative borrow $6 billion a year, Browne told the directors: "While we have seen many changes within agriculture in the recent past, our greatest changes may still lie ahead."

Current conditions, he said, have wide implications for lenders, such as the land banks, and he urged credit officials to "be alert to the opportunities for constructive change."

In recognition of this, Browne stated that he and his staff are undertaking a comprehensive review of the over-all operations of the Federal Land Bank System. At his post Browne heads that part of FCA which supervises, in the public interest, 12 Federal land banks and their affiliated land bank associations through which farmers have over $3.5 billion in long-term loans outstanding.

Browne said: "We intend to give critical attention to any area wherein the passage of time may now place upon us a requirement for updating and perhaps redirecting our efforts." In so doing, we will give full consideration to the ideas and suggestions of the farmers who own and control the System. Browne said, "Some of our more important changes and improvements have come not as ideas of the so-called experts, but as suggestions or requests for new loan services on the part of our member-borrowers."

Out of all this, Browne feels likely will come "an increased ability of the Land Bank System to meet the specific needs of a more highly-specialized American farmer who has never been afraid of change but rather has met it with confidence and turned it to his advantage."

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We have books on all personal property, merchants' Tax and license, and real estate. Please bring your tax statements with you.

If you wish to avoid the rush in the City Administration Building, you may mail payment to Benton and please include your statement when making payment by mail.

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HUNDREDS VISITED the open house Sunday afternoon of the new Motor Bank of the Bank of Sikeston, located on the corners of South Main and Greer streets. Shown are several registering at the desk of Mrs. Ural Coppage, Mr. and Mrs. Jos A. Leslie and Mrs. Madge Clodfelter. In the background are Harry Dover and J. Burch Moll. (Standard Photo)

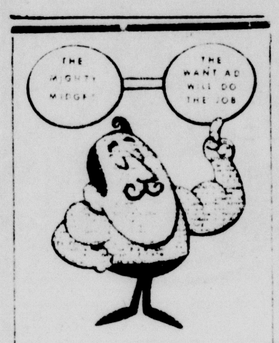
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A resolution declaring the necessity for the construction of hot mix asphaltic pavement on soil cement base on Petroleum Street from Kentucky Rd. to Indiana Street and Indiana Street from Missouri Avenue to Petroleum Street in the City of Sikeston, Missouri; stating the nature of the improvement; the estimated cost and providing that payment for all of the improvement shall be made by special tax bills levied and assessed against the abutting property. Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Sikeston, State of Missouri, as follows: Section 1: That the Council of the City of Sikeston, Missouri, deems and declares the construction of said Street necessary to the welfare and improvement of the City of Sikeston. Section 2: That the nature and scope of the improvement shall consist of furnishing all cost, including labor, materials and transportation necessary for the complete construction of the improvement. Section 3: That the estimated cost of the improvement is $2.50 per lineal foot of abutting property, to be charged against the lots and tracts of land abutting the improvement. Section 4: That payment for all of the improvement shall be made by special tax bills evidencing special assessments against the abutting property in the manner specified by the statutes of the State of Missouri and the ordinances of the City of Sikeston, Missouri, because in the opinion of the City Council the General Revenue fund of the City of Sikeston is not in a condition to warrant an expenditure therefrom to pay for the improvement. Section 5: That any work performed on construction of the improvement shall be in compliance with the provisions of the prevailing wage laws of the State of Missouri, such prevailing wage rates having been established by the Industrial Commission of Missouri. Section 6: That the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to furnish a copy of this Resolution to a daily newspaper of general circulation in the City of Sikeston, so that it shall be published for seven consecutive insertions. Read the first, second and third times and passed and approved this 7th day of December, 1964. Approved: Harry E. Dudley, Mayor; Attest: John W. Vaughn, City Clerk.
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Circuit Court for the County of Scott, State of Missouri.
Harold D. Ross, Plaintiff vs. Carla Jean Ross, Defendant. Number 3679.
ORDER OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE

The State of Missouri to defendant Carla Jean Ross.

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court for the County of Scott, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is an Action for Divorce.

The names of all the parties to said suit are stated above in the caption hereof and the names and address of the attorneys for plaintiff are Dempster & Edwards, Attorneys at Law, Sikeston, Missouri.

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within 45 days after the 23rd day of November 1964, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Sikeston Standard a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Scott, State of Missouri.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and the seal of the circuit court this 18th day of November, 1964.
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Lynn F. Ingram
Circuit Clerk.
48-54-60-66.

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An iron worker was nonchalantly walking the beams high above the street on a new skyscraper while the pneumatic hammers made a nerve-jangling racket and the compressor below shook the whole steel structure. When he came down a spectator approached him.

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FOR RENT--3 large room unfurnished apartment. Modern. Adults. 826 Linn St. Call GR 1-5754.
12-14-tf

3 - HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT -- 7 room modern home. $70 per month. Storage space. Call GR 1-5618.
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FOR RENT -- 3 bedroom home, newly redecorated. Available now. $60 per month. Call GR - 1-1570 after 5 p.m.
11-28-tf

FOR RENT -- 5 room brick house. Clean, with gas furnace. Convenient. $60 per month. GR-1-0712.
12-9-tf

FOR RENT -- 3 Bedroom house, redecorated, 228 Illinois, $60.00. Alcorn Real Estate GR 1-5162.
12-10-tf

FOR RENT -- Furnished cottage, 314 Kendall.
12-11-3t

4 - MISC. FOR RENT

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All sizes
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10-17-tf

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Dexter, Missouri
11-21-26t

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12-9-4t

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12-14-3t

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12-14-4t

6 - REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

TRADE IN YOUR
Property on down payment for any of 10 rich bottom land farms. From 190 Acres to 5,00 acres. Also 15 hill farms.
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CRENSHAW REAL ESTATE
GR 1-4945

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GR 1-1192 -- GR 1-5613
12-11-5t

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12-12-2t

FOR SALE -- New 3 bedroom house. Corner lot, hardwood floors, built-in range, walk-in closets, forced air heat. Phone GR 1-5987.
11-27-tf

7 - SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED -- Office work. Experienced Accounting, Bookkeeping, General office. Call GR 1-2846.
12-9-18t

10 - WANTED - MISC.

WANTED -- Good used furniture and appliances. Hezzie Furniture Mart. Phone GR 1-5617.
11-20-tf

11 - HELP WANTED FEMALE

WANTED --Typist and Stenographer (shorthand necessary). Write Division of Employment Security, 202 South Kingshighway, Sikeston.
11-5-tf

WANTED -- Licensed Practical Nurse. Shetley Nursing Home, Bell City, Missouri. RE 3-4426.
12-10-6t

NEEDED AT ONCE -- Full or part time man or woman to serve Watkins customers in Sikeston. Good income. No investment. Set your own hours. Write C. R. Ruble, Dept. D-3, P. O. Box #2447, Memphis, Tenn.
12-14-1t

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13 - LOST & FOUND

LOST -- Male black Cocker Spaniel 12 weeks old. Call GR-1-3657 or GR 1-9929.
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16 - SERVICES & REPAIRS

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12-5-15t

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CUSTOM Picture framing and refinishing. Philip Sadler, 529 Sikes, GR 1-0339.
12-10-26t

SIKESTON SANITATION SERVICE
For dependable service
Call GR 1-3453
R.L. & Patsy Collier
940 E. Malone

18 - POULTRY & LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE -- 2 palamino horses and a beddy saddle. Inquire at 310 Kendall for further information.
12-14-6t

FOR SALE -- Hogs, one male, 16 months old, Red Duroc. 2 gilts. Call GR 1-1926.
12-8-6t

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Polled Herefords. Cattle can be seen on our farm at Pinhook, Mo. Large selection to choose from.
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19 PETS

FOR SALE -- 2 miniature, male poodle puppies. AKC registered. $70 will hold for Christmas. ED 5-5662. Cape Girardeau.
12-9-6t

21 - AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE -- 1953 Chevrolet pickup 3/4 ton, 4 speed transmission. Call GR 1-4175.
12-5-8t

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'60 Chevrolet 4 door sedan, 6 cylinder, standard transmission, a good serviceable car.
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Open evenings until 8 p.m.

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27 NOTICES

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CHANNEL WPSD-TV SIX

MONDAY P.M. Dec. 14
6:30 90 - Bristol Court
6:00 Jonathan Winters - c
9:00 Alfred Hitchcock
10:00 News Picture
10:15 Tonight Show - c

DAILY (Thursday thru Wednesday)
7:00 Today Show
9:00 Romper Room
9:30 What's This Song - c
9:55 NBC News
10:00 Concentration
10:30 Jeopardy - c
11:00 Say When - c
11:30 Truth or Consequences - c
11:55 NBC Day Report
12:00 News, Farm Markets
12:15 Pastor Speaks
12:30 Let's Make a Deal - c
12:55 NBC News
1:00 Loretta Young
1:30 The Doctors
2:00 Another World
2:30 You Don't Say - c
3:00 Match Game
3:25 NBC Afternoon Report
3:30 Love That Bob
4:00 Popeye
4:30 M.T.W.Th. Rifleman
4:30 Fri. Dance Party to 5:30
5:00 M.W. Car 54
5:00 T. Th. Dobie Gillis
5:30 Huntley-Brinkley
6:00 News
6:10 Weather
6:20 Sports

12 20 WATCHING THE WEATHER
12 30 AS THE WORLD TURNS CBS
1 00 PASSWORD CBS
1 30 HOUSE PARTY CBS
2 00 TO TELL THE TRUTH CBS
2 25 DOUGLAS EDWARDS NEWS CBS
2 30 THE EDGE OF NIGHT CBS
3 00 THE SECRET STORM CBS
3 30 THE JACK BENNY SHOW CBS
4 00 LEAVE IT TO BEAVER
4 30 ROCKY & HIS FRIENDS
4 45 CARTOON STORYBOOK
5 00 WOODY WOODPECKER SHOW
5 30 THE REGIONAL NEWS
5 45 THE SCOREBOARD
5 50 WATCHING THE WEATHER
6 00 CBS EVENING NEWS CBS

CHANNEL WSIL-TV THREE

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14
6:00 Cactus Pete
6:20 Deputy Dawg
6:25 Weather
6:30 Voyage To The Bottom of the sea
7:30 No Time For Sergeants
8:00 Wendy & Me
8:30 Bing Crosby
9:00 Ben Casey
10:00 News & Weather
10:30 Les Crane Show
12:00 News & Sign Off

9:00 Jack Lalanne
9:30 Price Is Right
10:00 Get the Message
10:30 Missing Link
11:00 Father Knows Best
11:30 Tenn Ernie Ford
12:00 Educational
12:30 Religious
1:00 Educational
1:30 Day In Court
1:54 News-Woman's Touch
2:00 General Hospital
2:30 Young Marrieds
3:00 Trailmaster
4:00 The Hour
5:00 Mickey Mouse
5:30 Claud Move Show
5:45 Ron Cochran-News

CHANNEL KFVS-TV TWELVE

MONDAY DECEMBER 14
6 30 TO TELL THE TRUTH CBS
7 00 I'VE GOT A SECRET CBS
7 30 THE ANDY GRIFFITH SHOW CBS
8 00 THE LUCY SHOW CBS
8 30 MANY HAPPY RETURNS CBS
9 00 SLATTERY'S PEOPLE CBS
10 00 CHANNEL 12 REPORTS
10 15 THE SPORTS FINAL
10 20 THE LATE WEATHER
10 30 CHANNEL 12 THEATRE (DUEL ON THE MISSISSIPPI - LEX BARKER & PATRICIA MEDINA)
11 50 LATE NEWS HIGHLIGHTS

TUESDAY DECEMBER 15
6 30 SUNRISE SEMESTER CBS
7 00 CH. 12 BREAKFAST SHOW
8 00 CAPTAIN KANGAROO CBS
9 00 MORNING NEWS CBS
9 30 I LOVE LUCY CBS
10 00 ANDY OF MAYBERRY CBS
10 30 THE REAL MC COYS CBS
11 00 LOVE OF LIFE CBS
11 25 MIDDAY NEWS CBS
11 30 SEARCH FOR TOMORROW CBS
11 45 THE GUIDING LIGHT CBS
12 00 NOONDAY NEWS
12 15 THE FARM PICTURE

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Looking Back Over The Years

55 YEARS AGO
December 12, 1909

Scott Country ranks ninth in the value of surplus products for the year 1908. The value was $5,698,604. This leads the four surrounding counties by over two million. That is a fine showing and the chances are we will do better this year.

45 YEARS AGO
December 14, 1919

Uncle Joe Randol butchered his hogs last week and the Standard family can testify that the mess of spare ribs that he sent in were all right.

Charles Allen, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Cook, found a bottle of iodine Wednesday afternoon and thinking it was Castoria, proceeded to take a generous dose. Evidently the taste was not to his liking and when he began spitting, attracted attention. A doctor was called, who gave instructions for home remedies to be used until he could get there. It is thought that "Cookie" swallowed very little of the medicine, as he was not very sick at anytime, but it gave everyone, including himself, a scare.

Miss Irma Wilson came Sunday afternoon from Columbia to spend the holidays. Miss Irma is a student this year at the State University.

Sikeston High School defeated the Malden School in the debate at the high school Friday evening. Sikeston had the negative and Malden the affirmative side of the question, "Resolved that the United States should own and control the Merchant Marine." Sikeston was represented by Paul Denman and Dallas Beauchamp and Malden by Miss Jessie Tyler and Carl Bagby.

35 YEARS AGO
December 14, 1929

Mrs. Glen Matthews of this city is reported to have contracted what is technically known as tularaemia and popularly as "rabbit sickness." Symptoms of the disease were first noted on November 26 and the patient is now at about the halfway point in the usual "run" of time required. for the sickness to disappear.

James Hitchell, seed dealer of Leroy, Ill., and a party of three other men from that section of the state, drove into Sikeston early Thursday morning in the interests of looking over farm sites near here. Mr. Hitchell expressed the belief that this is a splendid time to invest in Southeast Missouri lands.

William Lindell Fox, nee Billy, is the captain- elect of the Sikeston High School gridders. The election of Billy to this post of field general over the Bulldog pigskin pushers took place Wednesday night at the annual football banquet held at the high school building. Eighteen names were called from a roster of some 26 odd. Three of the number take their letters and service stripes into the big wide world, for school days and afternoons of bucking the line or "running laps around the track" are for the trio, over. They are: Captain Paul Higgins, Raymond Aufdenberg and Kendall Sikes, each a good man in his place in the Bulldog machine this past season. Sixteen men will have to scrap and fight for positions next fall, when the call for football material is sounded. The other lettermen are: Captain-elect Fox, Woodrow Fitzgerald, Humphreys, Anderson Hayden, Henry Bennett, Keller, Nicholdson, Cole, Young, Cox, Bailey, Law, Walter Ancell, Whidden and Weideman.

Dear Santa Claus: I am seven years old. Mrs. Davis is my teacher. Please bring me a doll and a little rocking chair, and some mix candy and a pair of skates. Do not forget my little brothers and I sure will thank you a lots. Your good friend, Mary Waldman.

Dear Santa Claus: Will you bring me a little car and just a little wagon, nuts, candy. Don't forget Uncle Jim and you can bring me a pop gun, pr. high shoes, a new overcoat and knife and pr. leggins like daddies and bicycle and pony. Don't forget to bring rest of these kids a little something. Your little friend, Phil Waldman.

25 YEARS AGO
December 14, 1939

Bobby Keasler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Keasler, was the honor guest at a party for him Sunday in observance of his fourth birthday. Guests were: Jimmy Arthur, Gene Raymond Aufdenberg, Don Baker, Glenn Barton, Charles Blanton, III, David Bowman, Sammy Bowman, Damon Dale, Eddie McAmis, Billy Stearns, Bobby Stearns, Paul Slinkard, Bobby Gregory, Freddie Taylor, Jimmy Williams, Ann Tully, Mary Ann Walker, Carol Jo Crites, Kathleen Noonan, Jimmy and Betty Sue Keasler.

Mrs. C. T. Old was honored with a surprise birthday party at the Francis Clubhouse Monday night, at which Mrs. Chris Francis was hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Sharp are occupying their recently acquired dwelling on Sikes avenue that was formerly owned by Moore Matthews of East Prairie.

Lloyd Rayburn left Sunday for Salem, Ill., where he will be employed by an oil well company. Mrs. Rayburn and two children will join Mr. Rayburn Monday.

15 YEARS AGO
December 14, 1949

Amalia Ann Schulte, sophomore at State College, Cape Girardeau, is one of the 44 students listed on the Dean's Honor roll for the fall quarter. Also on the honor list is Carolyn Ruth Wilkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Wilsinson of Sikeston.

Th Bulldogs "A" and "B", teams were again victorious as they whipped the Rams from Illmo - Fornfelt in a double-header of basketball at the local Armory last night. The score of the "A" game was 57 to 34. The "B" game score was 25 to 15.

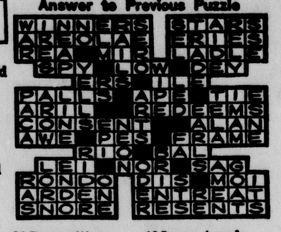
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carroll are parents of a son born Monday afternoon at the Delta Community Hospital. This is the first child and he has been named Ralph, Jr.

Opening of a new produce market on Highway 61 South, to be known as Hines Fruit Market, has been announced by the owners, Stotts & Hines. The business is located opposite Kelley Bros. Nash Sales, in a building where Gilbert Clinton operated a fruit market a few years ago.

DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

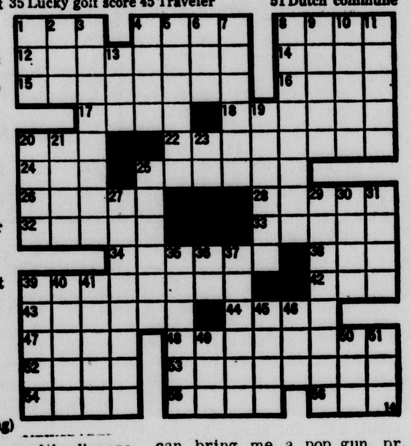
Favorite Foods

Answer to Previous Puzzle



ACROSS
1 Horse feed
4 Favorite food of owls
8 Squirrel food
12 Pertaining to a likeness
14 Egg-shaped
15 Potato chips
16 15th century canvas
17 Cougar meal
18 Spooled
20 Confederacy (ab.)
22 European bird dishes
24 Equip
25 English essayist
26 Sports field
28 Give out
32 Broom
33 Russian rulers
34 He had a vineyard (Bib.)
38 Wine cask
39 Solid beef fats
42 Employ
43 Raw fish egg delicacy
44 Czech river
47 Toward the mouth
48 Explode
52 Walk in water
53 Inserted
54 Solicited
55 German river
56 Compass point

DOWN
1 Possesses
2 Collection of sayings
3 Football distances
4 Dust particle
5 Philippine native
6 Cigarette (slang)
7 Card game
8 Undistinguished
9 Part of soft palate
10 Was grasped
11 Snow vehicles
13 New Guinea port
19 Stone Age tool
20 Soft-shelled
21 Forefather
23 Concerning
25 Maple seed
27 Unhelped
29 Soak
30 Caesar's wild ox
31 Domestic slave
35 Lucky golf score
36 Preposition
37 African fly
39 Flatboats
40 Burmese viol
41 Elude
45 Traveler
46 Inner (comb. form)
49 Conclusion
50 Decimal system base
51 Dutch commune



Dear Santa Claus

508 Malcolm Ave.
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa,
I am 10 years old. For Christmas I would like a birthstone ring and a twist o'loop. Also remember my big brother who is 11 years old. Mother will leave you something to eat.
Yours truly,
Margo Kain

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140 5th St.
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa,
I am a good little boy in the second grade at Matthews Grade School. For Christmas I want a watch, Johnny 7 o. M. A. gun, dump truck, Vroom racing car, steam shovel, pop gun, a Popeye toy, vacuum form molds, and a picture of Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer. Please bring a vase with flowers for my teacher, Mrs. Leslie, and a ladies watch for mother.
Your friend,
Malcolm Sanders

3608 Washington
Cairo, Illinois
Dear Santa Claus,
I am always a very good little girl. For Christmas I want an ice cream machine, paper dolls, doll furniture, sewing machine, puppy dog, doll, and fruit in a basket. I live in Cairo, Illinois, so don't forget to stop at my house.
Mary Martha Jones

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140 Fifth Street
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me a piano, book, nurse's kit, record player, dishes, ice cream machine, coke machine, and a doll. I am trying to be a good little girl. My brother wants a Johnny 7 O. M. A. gun.
Lisa Bartlett

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140 Fifth Street
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa Claus,
I have been a good little girl this year. For Christmas please bring me some more dishes, a stove, cabinet, sink, and a doll and doll clothes. My sister, Joannie, wants a doll, telephone, truck, and lots of candy.
Your good little friend,
Sara Bartlett

Route 2, Box 4
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa Claus,
I am a little boy 9 years old and have tryed to be good this year. I would like for you to bring me a basket ball and a watch. I have a little sister that is 2 1/2 years old and wants a doll that can walk and a rocking chair, and want other toys you want to bring us. We have a baby brother and he wants some toys that you push and they make a noise.
P. S. Don't forget to look on the table and get you something to eat. We will be in bed.
Mike, Phyllis, Joey
Tidwell

Box 22
Canalou, Mo.
Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Lorri Ann, I will be 2 years old the 17th.
For Christmas would you please bring me a table and chairs, dishes, a high chair, for my baby, tricycle, picnic table, ironing board and iron, and a big doll.
Don't forget my cousins, Ann, Meloney and Kin.
Please Santa don't forget my Uncle Daley.
Love, your little friend,
Lorrie Ann

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211 Dye St.
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Johnny 7 O. M. A. and also I want a Johnny 7 microphone helmet and do not forget my mother. Tell Rudolf and all the other reindeer I love them all very much.
Merry Christmas. I am 9 years old and in the second grade.
Terrence Alan Payne

Box 88
Canalou, Mo.
Dear Santa,
I am six years old and I have been pretty good this year.
Please bring me a doll, some pajamas, housecoat and any other clothes you want to bring.
Don't forget my little brother, Brodley, who is 3 years old. He wants a jeep, boat, truck, and an airplane that can fly.
Don't forget all my friends. I wish I could see you but I have the mumps.
Bye Santa.
Your little friend,
Angela Cude

R. F. D. #2
Eldorado, Ill.
Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Davy Brewer. I am 2 years old. For Xmas I want some guns and holsters, trucks, and a musical shoe, and a jack in the box. Don't forget Danny and Dana.
I will have my stocking up.
Love,
Davy BREWER
P. S. I have been a good boy. Also my mommie wants her subscription to the Standard renewed.

R. F. D. #2
Eldorado, Ill.
Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Danny Brewer. I live in Eldorado, Ill. I have been a pretty good boy this year. For Xmas I want a Mattell V-room bicycle with motor. Also a game or two. Please don't forget my brother, Davy and sister, Dana.
My brother wants some guns and trucks. Dana wants a Chatty baby doll. I love you Santa.
Love,
Danny Brewer
P. S. Don't forget to fill our stockings. I am six years old.
Merry Xmas.

R. F. D. #2
Eldorado, Ill.
Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Dana Brewer. I am 3 1/2 years old. I have been pretty good too this year. For Xmas I want a Chatty baby doll, stove, icebox, and sink, some dishes and pans to cook with. Don't forget my brothers. Also all the other boys and girls. We will have our stockings hung up. Have a Merry Xmas too.
Love,
Dana Brewer

CAMP SAFETY—Recently a 16 year old youth on a camping trip was found dead in his newly cleaned sleeping bag. The cause of death was found to be the chemicals in the cleaning solution. THOROUGHLY AIR BEFORE USING THEM BOTH SLEEPING BAGS AND PARKAS THAT HAVE BEEN DRY CLEANED.

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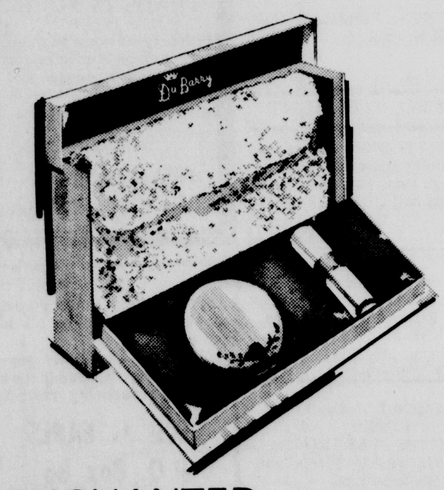
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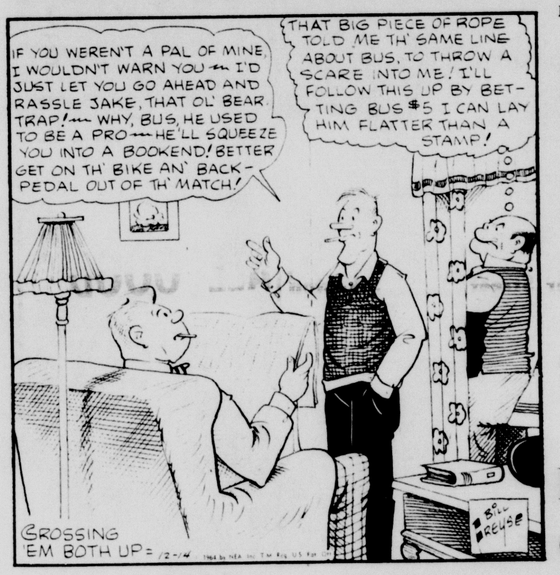
"That Freddie! His idea of a balanced meal is to have food in both hands!"

SIDE GLANCES — By Gill Fox



"I hear Smith's marriage isn't going too well. She deliberately wears her new hat when we're predicting rain!"





STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Tuesday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Keen	31 Crop	61 Anything
2 Ideas	32 An	62 To
3 Spread	33 Conditions	63 Can
4 Don't	34 Good	64 Problems
5 A	35 Don't	65 Or
6 Timely	36 News	66 Short-
7 Magnify	37 Brighten	67 Lead
8 Good	38 Advantage	68 Outlook
9 Development	39 Allow	69 You
10 News	40 A	70 Harmony
11 Tend	41 Or	71 You
12 Life	42 Pleasant	72 Purse
13 Look	43 Security	73 Your
14 Pleasant	44 Without	74 Comings
15 Good	45 Surprise	75 Doesn't
16 Holds	46 Overdo	76 Probably
17 Fortune	47 Your	77 Pocketbook
18 Out	48 Up	78 Today
19 Surprises	49 That	79 Mean
20 Your	50 Get	80 Concerning
21 Don't	51 Should	81 Money
22 Could	52 For	82 All
23 To	53 Benefit	83 The
24 Benefit	54 Your	84 Cause
25 If	55 Peace	85 Chance
26 May	56 Should	86 Much
27 Your	57 Be	87 Trouble
28 You	58 Or	88 Day
29 Push	59 Pride	89 You
30 For	60 With	90 Astray

Good — Adverse — 12/15 Neutral

ARIES MAR 22 – APR 20
12-16-40-42 45-52-69

TAURUS APR 21 – MAY 21
4- 7-20-64 65-66-74

GEMINI MAY 22 – JUNE 22
3- 8-10-25 28-50-83-85

CANCER JUNE 23 – JULY 23
34-36-51-53 73-77-78

LEO JULY 24 – AUG 23
13-18-30-33 49-63-84-87

VIRGO AUG 24 – SEPT 22
5- 6- 9-22 24-27-72

LIBRA SEPT 23 – OCT 23
21-29-32-38 41-46-61

SCORPIO OCT 24 – NOV 22
15-17-56-57 60-71-82-88

SAGITTARIUS NOV 23 – DEC 22
43-44-55-58 70-75-79-86

CAPRICORN DEC 23 – JAN 20
1- 2-11-23 37-47-68

AQUARIUS JAN 21 – FEB 19
14-19-26-31 48-76-80-81

PISCES FEB 20 – MAR 21
35-39-54-59 62-67-89-90

Today in U. S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Monday, Dec. 14, the 349th day of 1964. There are 17 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1799, George Washington died at his home, Mount Vernon, where he was living in retirement.

On this date

In 1819, Alabama, the 22nd state, was admitted to the union.

In 1911, Norwegian explorer Roald Amundsen reached the South Pole.

In 1916, the people of Denmark voted to sell the Danish West Indies to the United States for $25 million.

In 1942, Gen. Douglas MacArthur's forces captured the Japanese stronghold of Buna, New Guinea.

In 1946, the U.N. General Assembly voted to establish world headquarters in New York City, accepting the land from John D. Rockefeller Jr.

Ten years ago . . . President Dwight D. Eisenhower promised the Democrats, who controlled Congress, a voice in defense and foreign affairs.

Five years ago . . . The U.S. Communist party elected Gus Hall general secretary to replace Eugene Dennis.

One year ago . . . A Flying Tiger line Super-Constellation crashed in North Hollywood, Calif. Nine persons were killed, five of them on the ground.

A dog teaches a boy fidelity, perseverance, and to turn around three times before lying down.

Robert Benchley

Eagleton Gives Views

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Atty. Gen. Thomas F. Eagleton, who becomes lieutenant governor in January, gave his views Tuesday on major problems which will face the 1965 Missouri General Assembly.

In a speech to the South Central Business Association, Eagleton outlined the main problems as education, mental health, reapportionment, public accommodations and the creation of an urban affairs department.

He said he agrees with Warren Hearnes, governor-elect, that a bipartisan commission is the best approach to legislative reapportionment. He said it would be futile to expect the legislature to be unbiased in drawing lines for legislative districts.

On the subject of public accommodations, Eagleton said the state should work out a satisfactory solution and not let the problem rebound to the federal government.

He said that expenditures for education run far ahead of other outlays by the state and will have to continue to do so.

OUR ANCESTORS — by Quincy



"Ye've doon it, Angus! Putting those old kilts in the still does give it the real Scotch taste!"

Construction In Missouri Up 10 Per Cent

NEW YORK (AP)—Contracts for future construction in Missouri the first 10 months of the year amounted to $1,008,181,000, an increase of 24 per cent over the corresponding period of 1963.

Non-building construction amounted to $278,629,000, up 43 per cent. Residential construction contracts added up to $419,604,000, and non-residential $309,948,000, an increase of 18 per cent in both categories.

The F.W. Dodge Corp., which released the survey today, said contracts for October added up to $88,221,000, up two per cent over October, 1963. Non-residential, at $22,644,000, was down 10 per cent; residential at $40,391,000 was down 13 per cent and non-building construction at $23,186,000 was up 85 per cent.

BEN CASEY — by Neal Adams



PEANUTS — by Schulz



MARY WORTH — by Saunders & Ernst



CAPTAIN EASY — by Leslie Turner



STEVE CANYON — by Milton Caniff



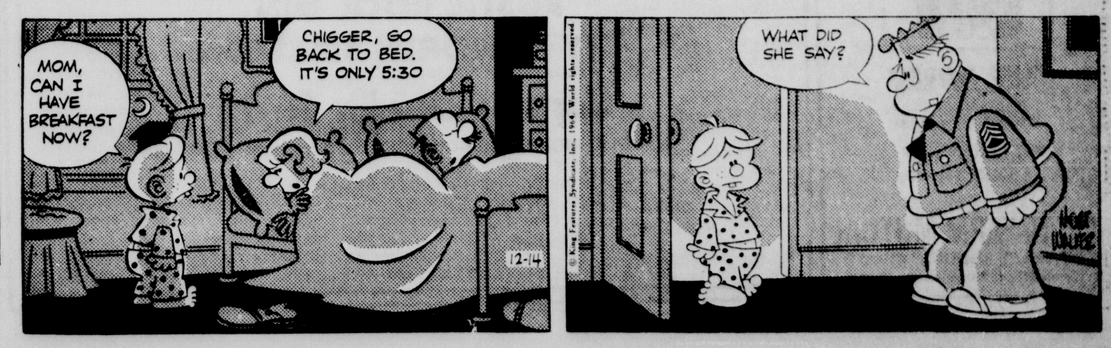
THE PHANTOM — by Lee Falk & Sy Barry



ALLEY OOP — by V.T. Hamlin



BEETLE BAILEY — by Mort Walker



Glenn Taylor & Sons To Have Farm Auction

Glenn Taylor and sons, of Charleston, will have a farm auction Tuesday, starting at 10 a.m. with Hale Brothers as acutioneers.

The sale will be on the Whitsell farm, 10 miles north of Charleston, on Route "N".

Offered for sale to the highest bidders will be four tractors, registered saddle mare and equipment; Combines, cornheaders and household goods.

Also for sale will be a wide variety of farm machinery including planters, cultivators, plows, etc.

Lunch will be served by ladies of the General Baptist Church of Diehlstadt.

George Williams Dies in Hospital

George Washington Williams, 73, of 206 Ruth Street, died this morning at 4:00 a.m. in the Kennedy Veterans Hospital after an illness of several years. He was born February 22, 1891 at Matthews, Mo., and was a retired farmer.

Surviving are; his mother, Nelia Williams of the home, seven sisters; Sarah Matthews of California, Nance Calhoun of Catron, Mrs. Ed Parker of Sikeston, Mrs. John Parker of Sikeston, Mrs. Thomas Ayers of Sikeston, Mrs. Gerald Crandall of Kirkwood, Ill., and Mrs. P. Dodson of Parma, Mo.

Services will be held Tuesday at 2 p.m. in the Taylor Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Hillen Kendred of the Bloomfield Baptist Church officiating. Interment will follow in the Big Opening Cemetery of near Matthews.

Former Sikeston Resident is Dead

Ivan Baugher, a former resident of Sikeston, died in the hospital of Thouand Oaks, Calif., Thursday evening. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baugher.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Angie Baugher; one son, Jimmy, and two daughters, Rene and Charlene all of the home. His parents, five brothers, Bernie of Balwin, Calif., Charlie of Eldon, Mo., Loy of Sikeston, Larry of Ojai, Calif., Irwin of Ventura, Calif., Jerry of Santa Susana, Calif., and Freddy of Simi, Calif.; five sisters, Mrs. Cecil James of Cape Girardeau, Mrs. John Cook of Santa Susana, Calif., Mrs. Glen Jones of Sikeston, Mrs. Don Patterson of Littlerock, Calif., and Mrs. Betty Walle of Fresno, Calif.

Loy and Fred Baugher and Mrs. Bonita Jones will attend the services to be held Monday morning.

Colored Infant Dies at her Home

CHARLESTON -- Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. today in the chapel of Sparks Funeral Home for Geralyn Christine Greer, four - month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Greer, Interment was in Oak Grove Cemetery.

The child died in the home in Alfalfa Center at 9:30 a.m. Saturday. Besides her parents she is survived by three sisters: Shirley, Etta and Lovie and four brothers: Fred, Thomas, Jim and M. L., all at home.

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Hold Funeral for Wade Harper, 68

EAST PRAIRIE -- Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. today for Wade Harper, 68, who died in the Missouri Delta Community Hospital, Sikeston, at 8:30 p.m. Saturday.

Services were held in the chapel of the Shelby Funeral Home with the Rev. J. L. Hatchell officiating. Interment was in the WOW Cemetery.

Mr. Harper was born March 30, 1896 in Clinton, Ky. and is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lillian Pearson Harper, at the home. Other survivors are four daughters: Mrs. Wanda Counts of East Prairie; Mrs. Wilma Hutchison of Dongola, Ill. and the Misses Wilsie and Windelen, at home; four sons; Albert, Herbert, Delbert and Philbert, all at home; a sister Miss Florence Harper, Clinton, Ky.; two brothers; Lynn, of Clinton, Ky. and W. W. of East Prairie.

Ike Kestner Dies

EAST PRAIRIE -- Ike Kestner, of East Prairie, died at 2:30 a. m. today at Charleston The body is at the Shelby Funeral Home. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

J.W. Stone of Oran Died

ORAN -- Joseph W. Stone, 80, a lifelong resident of Oran, died early Sunday morning at the Bertrand Nursing Home, where he had been a patient since April. He was born Sept. 14, 1884, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stone.

He was married to Miss Maude Pearl Lett of Oran, on Dec. 25, 1905, who preceded him in death April 17 of this year. He had farmed near Oran until 1933, when he took employment with the Scott County Milling Company until 1950. From 1950 to 1957 he was employed in the Oran water department after which he retired.

Surviving are four sons, Huelan H. Stone, Blytheville; Leon Stone, Sikeston; Eura V. Stone, Forrest City, Ark.; Richard Stone, Cape Girardeau; two half-brothers, William Glasscock, Springfield, Ill., and Theodore Glasscock, Oran; one half - sister, Mrs. Daisy Turner, Cape Girardeau; eight grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

The body is at the Earl J. Smith Funeral Home, with services to be held in the First Baptist Church Tuesday at 1 p.m., with the Rev. Don Cochran officiating. Burial will be in the Friends Cemetery.

Uncle Barnfeathers observes that those who kick sacred cows in the shins can't expect to benefit much from the free flow of the milk of human kindness. —Paul Bumbarger

John Williams Of Bertrand, Dies

BERTRAND -- John Roy Williams, 45, resident of the Bertrand Community since 1923, died at 1 p.m. Saturday in a hospital at Columbia, Mo.

He was born Aug. 19, 1919 in Dundee, Miss and is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mable Williams at the home. Also surviving are five sons: Richie, Randall, Berry, Dale and Tom, all at home; two daughters: Jerilyn and Cheryl, at home and a sister, Mrs. Leon Rayburn of St. Louis.

The body is at Sparks Funeral Home and funeral arrangements will be announced later.

John Taylor, Infant, East Prairie, Dies

EAST PRAIRIE -- John Wesley Taylor, infant son of Sam and Mary Vaughn Taylor, died today at 3:30 a.m. in the family home after an illness of two weeks. He was born Aug. 1, 1964.

Other than his parents the child is survived by one brother, Billy Joe Taylor; one stepbrother, Russell Taylor, and one sister, Pansy Ann, all at home; his maternal grandfather, William H. Vaughn, Dorena.

Services will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the McMikle Chapel with the Rev. J. O. Casey officiating. Burial will be in the Oak Grove Cemetery.

Mrs. Greenlee, 76, Dies Early Today

Mrs. Gertha Greenlee, 76, 1030 Applegate street, died in a nursing home here at 5:30 a.m. today. She was born in Cathoy, Ky., Nov. 13, 1888.

She was married to Luther Greenlee on Sept. 25, 1904, who survives. Other survivors are five sons, Roy Greenlee, Sikeston; Welton Greenlee, Chicago, Ill.; Murl Greenlee, Kankakee, Ill.; Floyd Greenlee, Omaha, Nebr.; and Henry Greenlee, Papillon, Nebr.; one brother, Gentry Cannon, Council Bluffs, Ia.; 26 grandchildren and 34 great-grandchildren.

The body is at the Jackson Funeral Home, with arrangements still incomplete.

The expression "silly as a coot" seems to come from this bird's clumsiness on land.

Brightening a Yuletide

by Polly Cramer, *Newspaper Enterprise Assn.*

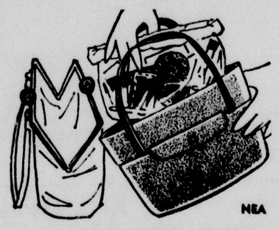


Polly

DEAR POLLY—Some years ago my in-laws moved far away from us and my mother-in-law wrote that Christmas didn't seem the same. We decided to try and do something about it. The following December 1 we sent a gift with instructions NOT to wait until Christmas but to open it immediately. The gift was an artifical fireplace with a letter enclosed that said to watch for the postman in a week or so. December 15, the other package arrived. It too, was to be opened immediately and contained two gaily decorated felt stockings, marked Mother and Dad, to hang on the fireplace. Inside these stockings were a lot of small gifts, wrapped and marked "Don't open until December 25." This way the excitement of Christmas was spread over a month.

The next year we bought a large white rug and with textile paints I painted a holiday greeting on the rug. This was to be placed in front of the fireplace sent the previous year. They had a friend take a picture of them in front of their Christmas fireplace and mailed it to us for our Christmas. So many times they have mentioned how much fun the holidays are for them again. Each year we will continue to send them some early gifts that will help create the holiday atmosphere.—JOYCE

DEAR POLLY—My hint is for the girls who frequently change purses to match costumes, hats or handbags and find they have failed to transfer all the necessary paraphernalia. Take a plastic bag the width of most handbags, roll the top over several times and carry everything in the plastic bag that you should have along at all times. When changing handbags just remove the plastic bag to the purse you will carry and there are no forgotten items.—EMMA



DEAR POLLY—To avoid fuss and nervousness and a trip to the grocery after unexpected company comes, I always keep on hand the makings of a complete dinner so they are always ready for just such emergencies. My favorite dinner staples are a canned ham, canned tiny peas, instant mashed potatoes, a can of pineapple and a package of grated cheese for a salad. Then, too, there is always a frozen pie that can be popped in the oven for a good dessert. None of these things take long to fix, you have time to spend with guests and they don't feel their visit is too much trouble.—MRS. R. A. M.

Share your favorite homemaking ideas . . and send them to Polly in care of The Daily Sikeston Standard. You'll receive a bright, new silver dollar if Polly uses your idea in Polly's Pointers.

LBJ

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department and top congressional leaders want them.

In announcing the changes Saturday, McNamara made no reference to congressional action in his prepared statement but told newsmen some aspects of the reorganization would require congressional attention.

He mentioned specifically the money which would be needed to increase the size of the National Guard. Money aspects of the program will be reflected in the budget for the fiscal year which begins July 1.

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The Upper Room

(C) THE UPPER ROOM NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

Nathanael said to him "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." (John 1:46, RSV)

PRAYER: Open our eyes, O God, that we may recognize Thee in the person of Jesus. Help us to submit our hearts to Him and teach us to listen to His voice. May our lives reflect His spirit and bring honor and glory to Thee. In His name. Amen.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
Anheuser Busch	64	67¼
Ark Mo Power	17⅝	18⅛
Fed Compress	27	29
Malone and Hyde	23¾	25⅜
Mo Utilities	25¾	28
Pabst Brewing	31¼	33
Potlatch Forest	39¼	41¾
Transogram	3¾	4¼
Gen Life of Wis	8¼	9
Mark Twain Life	4½	6
Mid West Nat Life	16¾	18
Tower Nat Life	3⅜	4¼

LISTED STOCKS

Allied Stores	76
Columbia Gas	31⅜
Eaton Mfg. Co.	42⅝
Emerson Electric	40
Foremost Dairy	13½
New England Electric	28½

Editors Note: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum registered representative for Fusz Schmelzle and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone GR 1-5350.

National Stockyards

Hogs 11,000; barrows and gilts uneven, weights 230 lbs and lighter barely active steady to strong, heavier weights slow steady to weak, sows active, strong, instances 25 higher; barrows and gilts 150-300 lbs 13.25-16.25; sows 280-600 lbs 12.25-13.50.

Cattle 6,000; calves 300; moderately active; steers and heifers steady to 25 higher, instances 50 higher; cows and bulls steady to strong; steers standard to choice 16.50-24.25; heifers standard to choice 16.00-23.25; cows 8.00-12.50 calves moderately active, steady; vealers scarce; vealers standard to choice 11.00-28.00; good to choice calves 12.00-16.00.

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TWO BROWNIE TROOPS at the Toy Festival at their Christmas displays Sunday afternoon at the St. Xavier Catholic School. On the right is Troop 171 under the large Christmas tree and are front row, from left, Kathy Grojean, Geralyn Stewart, Debra Aduddell, Jeanne Grojean, Laura Ford, Sydney Scherer and Theresa Schuchart; back row, Barbara Mayfield, Kathy Hampton, Linda Schuchart, Amy Buck and Maureen Klein, with the leaders, Mrs. Lincoln Scherer and Mrs. Wilfred Scherer standing in back. At the right are part of Troop 150 with their red and yellow barn display, from left, Teresa Shell, Karen Hambrick, Lisa Houchins, Charlotte Dacus and Melanie Shell, with their leader, Mrs. R. L. Hambrick. (Standard Photo)

Brownie Troops Help Santa With Christmas Gifts

Sunday afternoon the Brownie Scouts of the Sikeston - Vanduser neighborhood met in the dining hall at St. Francis Xavier School to welcome parents and friends to the annual Girl Scout Toy Festival.

Several weeks ago the Brownies started planning, making, and decorating the toys they displayed.

The toys are gifts from the Brownies to the City Welfare office for the Christmas baskets distributed to the needy families in Sikeston. Fire Chief Ramsey and local firemen assist in packing and delivering the Christmas baskets.

The Brownies of Troop 233 had a beautiful display of decorated pencils and pencil holders, wooden blocks made from scrap pieces of lumber which they sanded, painted and decorated with the letters BROWNIES. The green cardboard Christmas tree with 18 smiling gold ornaments was very pretty. Mrs. T. S. Crites is the leader of Troop 233. Her assistant is Mrs. Ralph Patton.

The leader of Troop #247, Mrs. Phillip Newman and her assistant Mrs. Bill Foster were proud of the articles the Brownies of the Vanduser troop had made and decorated. The girls used egg shells, macroni, pop corn and glue to decorate pencil holders, jewelry boxes, and vases. Plastic bottles were used to make toy pigs, wash cloths to make house slippers and red flannel for Xmas socks.

Troop #61 made puppet candy canes and baked a large box of cookies. Mrs. Edward Pence is the leader. Mrs. Albert Dockins, is assistant.

Troop #6 made surprise balls and decorated bozo paddles and pencils. Mrs. Ralph Boyer and Mrs. W. F. Sikes are the leaders.

The eighteen Brownies in Troop #196 made surprise balls and red flannel socks filled with candy under the supervision of their leaders Mrs. Wagner and Mrs. Harry White.

The pediatric ward of the Missouri Delta Community Hospital will receive red Santa Claus tray favors and four net Christmas trees made by the Brownies of troop #48. Mrs. Richard Powell is the leader and Mrs. Ronald Eaker assistant leader. The Brownies of this troop also made ball catch toys and marble toss games from large plastic bottles for the Welfare baskets.

Mrs. Jack Britt and her assistant leader Mrs. Kenneth Bailey helped the twenty-two Brownies of troop #19 make cloth books to be given to the Tanner Street Church of God Kindergarden class. They also made green and red felt doorknockers for their parents.

Troop #150 made 2 red and yellow barn sets out of corrugated cardboard with animals, tractors, and silo. They also made a cotton ball Christmas tree sprayed gold and trimmed with red and green velvet bows.

Mrs. Wilfred Scherer and Mrs. Lincoln Scherer and the Brownies of troop #121 decorated a six - foot pine tree to be taken to Shuffets Nursing Home. They plan to take cookies and sing songs for the patients. The Brownies had much fun making tree ornaments out of magic model mix.

BOSTON AP -- Sen. Edward M. Kennedy of Massachusetts is to fulfill a promise to himself Wednesday.

The brother of the late President John F. Kennedy has vowed to walk unassisted out of a Boston hospital where he has been recovering from a broken back, suffered in a plane crash last June 19.



State Traffic Kills Seven in Past Weekend

Seven Missouri traffic fatalities were reported over the weekend.

Dead are Wilbur R. Wolfe, 57, of Southwest City; Mark Anthony Johnson, 11, of Weaubleau; Mrs. Marion Miller, 47, of Edgerton; Larry Lynch, 16, of Seymour; Mrs. Irene Swain, 50, of Edwardsville, Ill., Aaron Frye, 80, of Seneca, and Thurman Moody, 35, of Sedalia.

Wolfe died Sunday night after his car struck a tree on a county road three miles east of Southwest City. The Johnson boy and Mrs. Miller also died Sunday. The youngster was killed in a two - car collision four miles south of Osceola on Missouri 13. Mrs. Miller's car ran off the road four miles northwest of Smithville.

The other deaths occurred Friday night and Saturday.

Four weekend highway fatalities were reported in Kansas.

Will Arraign 700 In Mass Court Action

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP) — More than 700 demonstrators today face mass arraignment in a community theater-turned-courtroom as the aftermath of an all-night protest sit-in at the University of California on Dec. 3.

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Five Emergencies

Five persons were treated and dismissed from the emergency room of the Missouri Delta Community Hospital over the weekend.

Roy Lee Baker, Peoria, Ill., accidentally shot himself with gun. Mathis Copeland, Matthews, stepped off porch; Elbert Parden, Charleston, stuck thorn in hand; Martha Gardner, Sikeston, in car accident and Sue Bess, Bell City, shut car door on hand.

To Give Concert Sunday

The Sikeston Community Choir will present its' fifth annual Christmas concert Sunday afternoon, December 20, at 3 o'clock in the First Methodist Church. The Community Choir is under the direction of Gordon Beaver. Accompanist for this year's Christmas Concert will be Pam Blackman.

Many varied types of Christmas choral literature will be presented at the concert. Music for this year's concert was selected with the listening audience in mind.

The Ladies' Trio, composed of Carole Sue Clayton, Lynda Freeman and Betty Summers will present two numbers in the spirit of the Christmas season. Accompanying the trio this year will be Mary Beaver.

Brenda Bruce, a talented and capable pianist will present some piano selections during the course of the concert. Miss Bruce is now studying at the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston, Mass.

Several solos will be sung during the concert on Sunday. Incidental solos will be performed by Daryl Randall, Pat Mitchell, Carole Sue Clayton, Louis Jones, Lynda Freeman, Norma Miller, and Richard Powell.

The Concert will begin promptly at 3:00 p.m. In the past a record crowd has been on hand to witness and hear this concert. It is advised to come early for a choice seat since no seating will be reserved.

Bill Bendix Of TV Fame Near Death

HOLLYWOOD (AP) -- William Bendix, whose rough-guy looks and softie heart endeared him to television fans of "The Life of Riley," lay near death today from lobar pneumonia.

Doctors at Good Samaritan Hospital said his condition has been weakened by malnutrition brought on by a stomach ailment.

Bendix, 58, was admitted to the hospital Tuesday.

His wife of 37 years, Therese, 58, said he had been suffering from stomach trouble for some time. He was operated on for stomach ulcers in 1955.

Bendix was born in New York City on Jan. 14, 1906. His father and two uncles decided he should be a violinist.

He wanted to be a baseball player. He got his first job as a batboy for the New York Giants. Later he played semi-professional ball.

INDEPENDENCE, Mo. AP -- Old grad Harry S. Truman had this word of advice for the young people of Independence: "The more you know the better off you are."

No RR Strike Until After New Year's

CHICAGO (AP)—Three shop craft unions made known today there will not be any nationwide railroad strike until after Jan. 1.

Alex Elson, lawyer for the Machinists, Electric Workers and Sheet Metal Workers unions, made the announcement in U.S. District Court.

Elson told Judge Joseph Sam Perry he had been authorized to state there "will not be a strike until after the first of the year."

The unions last week had set a strike for 6 a.m. Tuesday that would have idled more than 90 per cent of the railroad traffic at a time pre-Christmas travel, mail and merchandise shipments are at a peak.

The rail lines hurried into court and sought a temporary order and an injunction to halt the walkout. Lawyers for the carriers had argued that a work stoppage would cost the railroads more than $26 million a day.

Early Fire Alarm

A fire alarm at 1:05 a.m. today, did extensive water and smoke damage at the home of Arthur Aters, 412 Kendall. The fire department remained at the scene until 2:10, and confined the greatest damage to the living room. The home is owned by Manuel Drumm.

LBJ Says Reserve Plan Ok

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Johnson says the plan to abolish the Army Reserves is "prudent and wise."

The Reserve Officers Association disagrees and demands a thorough investigation of Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara's plan to do away with the Reserves by merging some units into the National Guard and placing the rest on inactive status.

The association said the Air Force Reserve will be the next to go.

McNamara's proposal — aimed at saving $150 million yearly by abolishing units which the defense secretary says are no longer needed — faces some stiff opposition on Capitol Hill. Congress has control over such proposals at least to the extent of providing money to carry them out.

Plans involving Army National Guard changes also are under discussion. Secretary of the Army Stephen Ailes said Sunday night that current planning concepts call for the six high-priority and two special-purpose divisions of the Guard to be converted into a division base and one brigade. But he said this was a concept "and not a firm plan," to be considered by the Army in conjunction with Reserve and National Guard authorities.

Some congressional criticism on the Reserve plan has been sharp and two congressional inquiries have already been promised in the wake of Saturday's announcement by McNamara.

Chairman F. Edward Hebert, D-La., of the House Armed Services subcommittee on the Reserves and National Guard, said McNamara "demonstrated his contempt for Congress" by issuing the plan.

Chairman John Stennis, D-Miss., of the Senate Armed Services Preparedness subcommittee, said he'll do his utmost to maintain the Reserve force and expressed the belief Congress must approve the plan before it can go into effect.

Both men said their subcommittes will hold hearings on the plan next year but no dates were set.

Johnson's public endorsement of McNamara's decision was disclosed in an exchange of letters with Rear Adm. Edgar G. Reeder, Reserve Officers Association president, who had asked Johnson to reverse it.

Johnson said he would ask the Defense Department to brief Reeder on the proposal.

Reeder, however, said he wasn't convinced "that the destruction of the Reserves serves the cause of national security, nor that national security motives alone prompted these decisions."

He said the motives of every individual who contributed to "this shocking alteration of historic national policy" should be reviewed and exposed."

Reeder predicted a similar fate for the Air Force Reserve as soon as Gen. Curtis LeMay retires as Air Force chief of staff.

State adjutants general, however, were reported ready to go along with the changes if the

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Traffic Report For Scott Co. One Killed, 11 Hurt

One person was killed in a traffic accident in Scott County during November bringing the total of fatalities on the county's highways to 13 for 1964 thus far according to a report released by Capt. O. L. Qallis, commanding officer of Troop E, State Highway Patrol.

There were 19 traffic accidents in the county during the month, making a total of 197 for the year; 11 were injured making a total of 103 injuries for the year and property damage in November in the county mishaps was $9,585 to make a total of $119,625 for the year.

The report for the other six Bootheel Counties for November giving the monthly figures followed by those for the year thus far in parentheses is as follows:

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Capt. Wallis reports Troop E investigated 288 accidents in November in which 14 were killed, 178 injured and damage estimated at more than $171,000. During the same period of 1963 there were 272 accidents in which nine were killed and 184 injured.

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Last month, central Viet Nam was devastated by floods caused by heavy rain over mountain valleys, and several thousand persons perished.

Morehouse PTA To Hold Meeting Tonight

The Morehouse PTA will hold its second meeting tonight at 7:30 p.m. Bob Summers, Juvenile officer will be the guest speaker. Following his talk sophomore Home Ec. class will present a fashion show. All parents are urged to attend. Refreshments will be served.



JOSEPH L. MATTHEWS, (right) president of the Bank of Sikeston, welcomes Paul Jobe, general manager of Malone & Hyde, and Mrs. Joseph L. Matthews to the opening of the bank's new Motor Bank, Sunday afternoon. Hundreds of patrons and friends turned out to inspect the new facility and enjoy the refreshments.

MORE THAN 600 persons attended the open house of the new Motor Bank of the Bank of Sikeston, Sunday afternoon at the corner of South Main and Greer streets. Although the open house was scheduled from one to four p.m., the steady stream of visitors, kept the receiving line going until well after 5 p.m.

On hand to greet visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Matthews, Edward Matthews, William Corrigan, W. M. Werneck, Harry Dover, J. Burch Moll, Mrs. Sam Harbin, Mrs. Ural Coppage, Mrs. Sara Bennett, Mrs. Mary Ancell and Miss Martha Seabaugh of the Bank of Sikeston.

Mrs. Coppage was in charge of the registration desk, and Miss Seabaugh was in charge of refreshments, where punch and cookies were served. All visitors received a souvenir, and were escorted through the new building.

Outside visitors included bankers from Charleston, Oran and other towns, to view the improved banking service provided for the motoring public, which includes two drive-in windows, and an inside walk-up window.

The new Motor Bank opened its doors last Wednesday, and each day has shown an increased amount of customers, which has exceeded all expectations of the bank officials.

Judge Brown Hears Cases At Charleston

CHARLESTON — The following cases have been heard in Magistrate Court by Judge T. J. Brown:

Jonathan Arnold Jesse'd pleaded guilty to excessive speeding and was fined $7.00 and $11.00 costs.

Arvin McCain pleaded guilty to excessive speeding and was fined $13.00 and $11.00 costs.

Henry Sam Elias pleaded guilty to excessive speeding and was fined $13.50 and $11.00 costs.

Grady Sisco pleaded to violating the wildlife code and was fined $5.00 and $11.00 costs.

Lee Rapert was fined $25.00 and $11.00 costs for operating overlength tractor on highway.

Jerry Dale Leech pleaded guilty to excessive speeding and was $15.00 and $11.00 costs.

Thelma L. Litchford pleaded guilty to excessive speeding and was fined $19.00 and $11.00 costs.

Robert William Sitzes pleaded guilty to excessive speeding and was fined $19.00 and $11.00 costs.

Jimmy Lamor Holdiness was fined $25.00 and $11.00 costs for failure to yield to right of way.

Ralph Bonnie Williams was fined $25.00 and $11.00 costs for careless and reckless driving.

Junior Bone was fined $10.00 and $11.00 costs for disturbing the peace. He was also placed on parole for six months.

H. T. Sutherland pleaded guilty to trespassing and was fined $5.00 and $12.00 costs.

Jimmie Sutherland pleaded guilty to trespassing and was fined $5.00 and $12.00 costs.

Ethlar Theodore Small pleaded guilty to careless and imprudent driving and was fined $10.00 and $11.00 costs.

James Odell was committed to jail for 30 days for non-support but had his sentence suspended and was placed on parole for one year, the conditions being that he pay $40.00 a week to his wife for support of minor children.

Leon Allen pleaded guilty to breaking jail and was released from serving balance of sentence and was placed on parole for six months the condition being that he obey all laws.

Five Emergencies

Five persons were treated and dismissed from the emergency room of the Missouri Delta Community Hospital over the weekend.

Roy Lee Baker, Peoria, Ill., accidentally shot himself with gun. Mathis Copeland, Matthews, stepped off porch; Elbert Parden, Charleston, stuck thorn in hand; Martha Gardner, Sikeston, in car accident and Sue Bess, Bell City, shut car door on hand.

To Give Concert Sunday

The Sikeston Community Choir will present its' fifth annual Christmas concert Sunday afternoon, December 20, at 3 o'clock in the First Methodist Church. The Community Choir is under the direction of Gordon Beaver. Accompanist for this year's Christmas Concert will be Pam Blackman.

Many varied types of Christmas choral literature will be presented at the concert. Music for this year's concert was selected with the listening audience in mind.

The Ladies' Trio, composed of Carole Sue Clayton, Lynda Freeman and Betty Summers will present two numbers in the spirit of the Christmas season. Accompanying the trio this year will be Mary Beaver.

Brenda Bruce, a talented and capable pianist will present some piano selections during the course of the concert. Miss Bruce is now studying at the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston, Mass.

Several solos will be sung during the concert on Sunday. Incidental solos will be performed by Daryl Randall, Pat Mitchell, Carole Sue Clayton, Louis Jones, Lynda Freeman, Norma Miller, and Richard Powell.

The Concert will begin promptly at 3:00 p.m. In the past a record crowd has been on hand to witness and hear this concert. It is advised to come early for a choice seat since no seating will be reserved.

Bill Bendix Of TV Fame Near Death

HOLLYWOOD (AP) -- William Bendix, whose rough-guy looks and softie heart endeared him to television fans of "The Life of Riley," lay near death today from lobar pneumonia.

Doctors at Good Samaritan Hospital said his condition has been weakened by malnutrition brought on by a stomach ailment.

Bendix, 58, was admitted to the hospital Tuesday.

His wife of 37 years, Therese, 58, said he had been suffering from stomach trouble for some time. He was operated on for stomach ulcers in 1955.

Bendix was born in New York City on Jan. 14, 1906. His father and two uncles decided he should be a violinist.

He wanted to be a baseball player. He got his first job as a batboy for the New York Giants. Later he played semi-professional ball.

INDEPENDENCE, Mo. AP -- Old grad Harry S. Truman had this word of advice for the young people of Independence: "The more you know the better off you are."

No RR Strike Until After New Year's

CHICAGO (AP)—Three shop craft unions made known today there will not be any nationwide railroad strike until after Jan. 1.

Alex Elson, lawyer for the Machinists, Electric Workers and Sheet Metal Workers unions, made the announcement in U.S. District Court.

Elson told Judge Joseph Sam Perry he had been authorized to state there "will not be a strike until after the first of the year."

The unions last week had set a strike for 6 a.m. Tuesday that would have idled more than 90 per cent of the railroad traffic at a time pre-Christmas travel, mail and merchandise shipments are at a peak.

The rail lines hurried into court and sought a temporary order and an injunction to halt the walkout. Lawyers for the carriers had argued that a work stoppage would cost the railroads more than $26 million a day.

Early Fire Alarm

A fire alarm at 1:05 a.m. today, did extensive water and smoke damage at the home of Arthur Aters, 412 Kendall. The fire department remained at the scene until 2:10, and confined the greatest damage to the living room. The home is owned by Manuel Drumm.

LBJ Says Reserve Plan Ok

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Johnson says the plan to abolish the Army Reserves is "prudent and wise."

The Reserve Officers Association disagrees and demands a thorough investigation of Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara's plan to do away with the Reserves by merging some units into the National Guard and placing the rest on inactive status.

The association said the Air Force Reserve will be the next to go.

McNamara's proposal — aimed at saving $150 million yearly by abolishing units which the defense secretary says are no longer needed — faces some stiff opposition on Capitol Hill. Congress has control over such proposals at least to the extent of providing money to carry them out.

Plans involving Army National Guard changes also are under discussion. Secretary of the Army Stephen Ailes said Sunday night that current planning concepts call for the six high-priority and two special-purpose divisions of the Guard to be converted into a division base and one brigade. But he said this was a concept "and not a firm plan," to be considered by the Army in conjunction with Reserve and National Guard authorities.

Some congressional criticism on the Reserve plan has been sharp and two congressional inquiries have already been promised in the wake of Saturday's announcement by McNamara.

Chairman F. Edward Hebert, D-La., of the House Armed Services subcommittee on the Reserves and National Guard, said McNamara "demonstrated his contempt for Congress" by issuing the plan.

Chairman John Stennis, D-Miss., of the Senate Armed Services Preparedness subcommittee, said he'll do his utmost to maintain the Reserve force and expressed the belief Congress must approve the plan before it can go into effect.

Both men said their subcommittes will hold hearings on the plan next year but no dates were set.

Johnson's public endorsement of McNamara's decision was disclosed in an exchange of letters with Rear Adm. Edgar G. Reeder, Reserve Officers Association president, who had asked Johnson to reverse it.

Johnson said he would ask the Defense Department to brief Reeder on the proposal.

Reeder, however, said he wasn't convinced "that the destruction of the Reserves serves the cause of national security, nor that national security motives alone prompted these decisions."

He said the motives of every individual who contributed to "this shocking alteration of historic national policy" should be reviewed and exposed."

Reeder predicted a similar fate for the Air Force Reserve as soon as Gen. Curtis LeMay retires as Air Force chief of staff.

State adjutants general, however, were reported ready to go along with the changes if the

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Traffic Report For Scott Co. One Killed, 11 Hurt

One person was killed in a traffic accident in Scott County during November bringing the total of fatalities on the county's highways to 13 for 1964 thus far according to a report released by Capt. O. L. Qallis, commanding officer of Troop E, State Highway Patrol.

There were 19 traffic accidents in the county during the month, making a total of 197 for the year; 11 were injured making a total of 103 injuries for the year and property damage in November in the county mishaps was $9,585 to make a total of $119,625 for the year.

The report for the other six Bootheel Counties for November giving the monthly figures followed by those for the year thus far in parentheses is as follows:

Cape Girardeau Co.: 30 accidents (236); fatalities, 2 (15); injured 14 (133) and property damage, $17,840. ($140,760.)

Dunklin Co.: 32 accidents (380); fatalities, 4 (16); injured 21 (155) and property damage, $32,425. ($150,695).

Mississippi Co.: 9 accidents (122); fatalities, 0 (2) 1 injured, 2 (72) and property damage, $3,095. ($78.530).

New Madrid Co.: 25 accidents (294); fatalities, 0 (25); injured 17 (195) and property damage, $12,530. ($160,635).

Pemiscot Co.: 28 accidents (333); fatalities, 1 (14); injured 10 (184) and property damage, $15,845., ($212,440).

Stoddard Co.: 38 accidents (264); fatalities, 3 (12); injured, 23 (170); and property damage, $19,445., ($129,960.)

Capt. Wallis reports Troop E investigated 288 accidents in November in which 14 were killed, 178 injured and damage estimated at more than $171,000. During the same period of 1963 there were 272 accidents in which nine were killed and 184 injured.

The leading type of accidents that caused fatalities during November were one car accidents. Nine of the fourteen killed in one car accidents. Failure to keep control of the vehicle for some reason, too much speed, too much to drink, and inattention seemed to be the reasons for losing control. We must adjust our driving to the many conditions that might affect our safety and possibly the leading one is alertness.

Presidential Electors Make Election Official

WASHINGTON (AP) — Presidential electors meet across the land today to make official the elections of Lyndon B. Johnson as president and Hubert H. Humphrey as vice president.

If the 538 electors do the expected, and follow the instructions given them Nov. 3 by some 70 million voters, Johnson and Humphrey will each defeat their Republican opponents, Sen. Barry Goldwater and Rep. William E. Miller, by margins of 486 to 52.

The reason: there are 486 Democratic electors and 52 Republican ones.

The Democratic electors come from the 44 states and the District of Columbia, in which the Johnson-Humphrey ticket polled the most votes on Nov. 3. The Republican electors come from the six states in which the Goldwater-Miller slate was victorious.

The electors meet and vote in the 50 state capitals and in the District of Columbia. The votes will be mailed to Washington where on Jan. 6 a joint session of Congress will count them and proclaim the winners.

Johnson and Humphrey were victorious because they won states whose electoral votes totaled more than half of the 538-member Electoral College, not because of their popular-vote majority — according to unofficial and incomplete figures—of 42,627,694 to 26,945,876.

The Constitution grants to the electors the power to elect the president. Each state has a number of electors equal to its total of senators and representatives, and the candidate getting the most votes in each state wins all of the state's electoral votes.

The District of Columbia, in addition, was granted three electoral votes by the 23rd Amendment to the Constitution which gave residents of the nation's capital the vote in a presidential election this year for the first time.

Actually, in order to win a majority of electoral votes — this year, 270 — a candidate only had to win the 11 largest states and the District of Columbia. Three victorious candidates — John Quincy Adams, Rutherford B. Hayes and Benjamin Harrison—won elections even though they received fewer popular votes than their chief opponents.

The electors are mostly loyal party workers and office-holders, selected by their party in recognition of past services and because they could be counted on to be loyal to the party's candidates.

Most were chosen at state party conventions, although some were picked in primaries or by their state committees.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

Monday, December 14 is The Turning Off of Air Conditioning at the Wax Museum.

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According to a survey, wives and children think husbands should be allowed to handle family investments. It's the same principle under which the dog gets the bone.

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OFF-HOUR SHOPPING

As the pace of holiday buying accelerates, the shoppers who attend to their chores in off-hours will be rendering a kind of public service. Visiting shopping centers when the rush is not in effect in traffic is a sound policy. If the stores are not too badly crowded the individual can get better and faster service as a matter of course.

If the total buying is spread out over the entire period available instead of being concentrated during the last few days it is a mercy for those who sell. All in all, if you can shop at relatively easy hours, you will be doing everybody concerned a favor, you yourself included.

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Christmas Seals aid the fight against TB. Use them on all your holiday mail.

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It's claimed the average waiter walks about 14 miles a day. No wonder the soup is cold before you get it!

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Our studied advice to you is to never offer anyone advice.

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Aside from the need for an aggressive national policy to reduce foreign trade barriers and restrictions, increased sales promotion and market development is essential to the expansion of world markets for U. S. farm products. Because of the need that exists in this area, the American Farm Bureau Federation in 1960 established, as an affiliate, the Farm Bureau Trade Development Corporation in Rotterdam, the Netherlands. The effort is the only one of its kind financed solely by a private farm organization without any kind of a government subsidy.

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Just learned a branch of the United States Department of Agriculture has searched the world since 1898 hunting useful plants, introducing them and evaluating their crop potentials. It has collected more than 275,000 of them.

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Political economy -- two words that should be divorced on grounds of incompatability.

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Famous Firsts at the Fairs: Alexander Graham Bell exhibited the telephone for the first time at the Philadelphia Fair in 1876. The first Ferris Wheel, exhibited at the World's Columbian Exposition at Chicago in 1893, was named after its inventor George Washington Gale Ferris, an engineer. Both are still popular. Wonder what wonders will be displayed at next year's New York Fair?

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Stop for a minute and do some dreaming. Pretend this isn't 1964 but 1988, pretend you are a millionaire and ready to take off for a drive in the country.

What would driving be like?

Chances are that you could have a dial-a-map service that would allow you to dial a number on your phon-a-vision and ask for the best roads to your destination. Zip. A map of the way would be printed in seconds and sent to you through a transmitting device on your phon-a-vision, with the route already marked. You wouldn't have to have a key to start your car. Just the sound of your voice would do that.

There wouldn't be such a thing as a driving wheel. The car would respond to shifts in the weight of your body. If you wanted to turn to the right, you wouldn lean that way. To the left, you would lean to port.

Near your destination you could throw the car into its electro-mesh-hydraulic-aerial control, a small box that responds to pre-arranged signals that beep-beep from wires embedded in the roadway.

But the best part of the trip would come when you checked your fuel gauge. If it looked low, all you would have to do is open up a small pill box in the glove compartment and drop a pill in the fuel tank, which would be conveniently buried in the steering shaft of your car.

Flat tires? Never. Tires then probably will be made of flaked steel welded into a soft, lumpy mass that never wears out.

Now all you have to do to enjoy this millenium is survive for the next 25 years on today's highways.

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The front passenger seat is still the "death seat" in a car, according to a British study of crashes. The front seat passenger suffered 75 per cent of the serious injuries, as compared to 13 per cent for the driver or 6 per cent of the rear - seat riders.

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Memory Lane: Remember when Tin Pan Alley's hits were measured by the sheet music sold and every five and 10-cent store boasted a painist and song plugger? Today, you have a hit when you sell a million records.

Harvest of the 1964 apple crop -- a total of more than 140 million bushels -- has been completed. This is 12 percent more apples than last year and 14 percent above average.

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Years ago the "peddler" was a familiar person on the country roads of Missouri. Bringing everything to the rural family from thread to sugar and spice his visit, about two days each week, was a welcome sight, especially to the children who lived in hopes they might be able to buy a penny stick of stripped candy.

The days of the rural peddler are gone forever from the Missouri scene but this merchant of a by-gone era had a creed that many Missouri communities could well consider today in their efforts to obtain an industry, "You Can't Sell Goods From An Empty Wagon."

According to Larry Cohick, Industrial Director of the Missouri Commerce and Industrial Development Division, some Missouri towns want an industry but they are trying to sell their goods from an "empty wagon."

"A town or community must prepare itself in advance to attract an industry," Cohick said. "Few business firms will consider moving their factories into a town that has not had the foresight to look ahead. This may apply to its water system, its sewage disposal, its streets, street lighting, or any of the many things that add the 'extra' touch that takes a community from the ordinary 'run of the mill' type community to the hustling, bustling, progressive town that industries are constantly seeking."

The Industrial Director said that recently one small Missouri town had the chance to obtain a factory that would employ 30 persons. "A representative of our division escorted the owner of the factory to the town. He took one look at the main street and threw up his hands in dispair. He stated that under no circumstances would he consider establishing his plant there."

"His reasons were evident," Cohick explained. "The streets of the town were sadly in need of repaving. The street lights were antiquated, store fronts were in a state of disrepair with old fashioned metal roofs over the sidewalks rusting and several on the verge of falling. One look was all it took for this prospect to decide against moving into the town."

"Citizens of Missouri communities who are interested in obtaining an industry should not fail to attend the coming Missouri Community Betterment Awards Banquet and Conference in Jefferson City, December 2nd and 3rd," the director said.

He explained that at the conference it may be learned first hand how industries can be encouraged to consider a community for a new location. He said there would be outstanding speakers on Community Improvement, workshops and displays to educate the uninformed on ways and means to make their communities grow and prosper.

"Prosperous merchants have long known that substantial inventories are needed to sell merchandise," Cohick said. "Many Missouri towns need to take inventory and find what they need to attract an industry. Attendance at the First Annual Missouri Community Betterment Awards Banquet and Conference can furnish the answer to what methods are necessary to embark on a 'path of progress' rather than staying in the 'rut of depression'."

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YOU CAN'T DIVIDE NOTHING

Wealth is production -- the more you produce, the more there is to divide. And modern machines help you produce more.

But if you don't have modern machines, or if you don't use them well, you won't produce anything above bare subsistence. And no matter how you divide nothing, it's still nothing.

So your own wealth is your own responsibility -- produce it, or you don't have it.
---Warner & Swasey

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A teacher placed her hat in front of the class and told the students to write an essay about it. For several minutes nothing was heard but the scratching of pens. Then a small boy inquired, "Teacher, are there two p's in stupid?"

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A LONG STORY

To whom, and to what, do you pay taxes?

The quick answer is the federal government. But that isn't the end of the story -- not by a very long shot.

For instance, the Oregon State Tax Commission -- and it's a safe bet that Oregon is a fairly typical state -- has compiled a list of taxing bodies. They number 1,207. Included are schools, cities, five districts, water districts, cemetary districts, counties, parks and so on. Each of these, to some extent, has and uses the power to dip into your pocketbook.

The point is that drives for more economical government should not be restricted to our $100 billion a year federal establishment, vital as that is. Local agencies can be mighty expensive too -- and mighty wasteful. If we are to ever have true economy of operation in public agencies it must be pursued right down to the smallest local level of government.

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"Here," said the husband angrily, holding out a sheaf of monthly bills to his wife. "Pick a bill -- any bill. Then explain it."

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YEAH, MEN ARE UGLIER

Girls are smarter than boys. This will scarcely come as news to girls of any age or to married men.

It may, however, shake up boys and young men, although even they must have a gnawing and growing suspicion that they are being consistently outsmarted by what in the mid-Victorian era was euphemistically known as the fair sex.

The latest proof is provided by tests given 750,000 California pupils in the fifth, eighth and eleventh grades.

These tests -- steady now, fellows -- showed that with the single exception of mathematics in the eleventh grade group, girls excel boys in scholastic ability and all "basic skills."

Being a male, we're not smart enough to know exactly what "basic skills" include. But we'll bet our miserable IQ against whatever is small enough to make a fair bet that one of these skills is the instinctive good sense to leave something tough like mathematics to the men.

The worst part of it is that girls are prettier, too.

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The big-game hunter took his wife on his newest safari. The sportsman had bagged a few minor trophies, but the great prize was the head of a huge lion, killed by his wife.

"What did she hit it with?" asked a friend admiringly. "That 303 Magnum rifle you gave her?"

"No," answered her husband dryly, "with the 1961 station wagon we hired."

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HIT THE SPOT: Cosmetic stains on washable clothes should be pretreated with detergent and then laundered . . . Scrape off excess of catsup spots, soak in cold water for 30 minutes, pretreat with detergent and launder . . . A girl's pancake make-up on your dark clothes will come off best if the cloth is patted with the sticky side of some cellophane tape.

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At a shower for the bride-to-be, she told her friends, "I plan to have four children -- two boys and two girls."

One friend asked, "Why stop at four?"

"Because," replied the bride-to-be, "I've been reading statistics and find that every fifth child is Chinese."

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DRESS TIPS: According to the American Institute of Men's and Boys' Wear, Inc., it is neither correct nor good judgment to wear sport clothes for business. On the theory that other people base their appraisal of you in part on your appearance -- including your clothes -- it would seem foolish to make less than the best impression possible. The head of an important personnel - placement agency recently remarked, "If two or more men seem equally qualified for a post, I take particular note of their attire. If we are seeking a businessman, we rarely take one who dresses like a golfer."

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The Marriage - Broker was recommending a young woman to a dowdy old widower. "She is young," he said, "and beautiful. And what is more, she has money."

"Sounds too good for me," said the widower, shaking his head. "What's the matter with her?"

"Nothing, I assure you. She is strong and healthy, quite as beautiful as I say she is, and very anxious to get married."

"Doesn't sound right to me," persisted the widower.

"Well, if you must know," added the broker, "she's just the least tiny bit pregnant."

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Never milk a cow in a thunderstorm; you might get left holding the bag.

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"Do you think your boy will forget all he learned in college?

"I hope, so. He can't make a living necking."

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A pollster recently made his own survey of our ailing public school system. His results:

"The trouble is the teachers are afraid of the principals, the principals are afraid of the superintendents, the superintendents are afraid of the school boards, the school boards are afraid of the parents, the parents are afraid of the kids, and the kids know it."

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The trained mermaid staff at Weeki Wachee, the spring of live mermaids on the West Coast of Florida is comprised of girls from Georgia, Michigan, Illinois, Virginia, Iowa, Florida, New Jersey, Ohio, New York, Kentucky, Alabama, Minnesota, Pennsylvania and Canada!

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IN THE STORES: Many men's stores now carrying aerosol stain remover for removing spots from ties and clothing. Works well too. . . This is the time of year when one can get two gifts for the price of one. Various items come in unique packagings that have secondary uses. Example: A belt comes packed in a handsome hinged jewel box.

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They say you should never drink while driving, and I'll go along with that. I always stop the car first, have my drink, and then drive on.

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"They tell me your wife came from an aristocratic old family."

"Not exactly came -- she brought it with her."

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Leaving the plush supper club one night, a miserly gentleman stalked right past the doorman without tipping him. Nevertheless, the doorman helped the man into the car with a flourish and said pleasantly, "In case you happen to lose your wallet on the way home, sir, just remember that you didn't pull it out here."

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A tourist stopped at a combination service station and general store in the back country. While his car was being serviced, he noticed an oldtimer basking in the sun and holding a short piece of rope. The tourist walked over to him and asked, "What have you there?"

"This is a weather guage, sonny."

"How can you possibly tell the weather with a piece of rope," the tourist asked.

"It's simple, sonny," was the droll answer. "When the rope swings back and forth, it's windy, and when it gets wet, it's raining."

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Before Lee Remick left for Spain and a role in a new motion picture, she asked if she should take a crash course in conversational Spanish. She was told it wasn't necessary. Now she knows better. The other day in Malaga she bought what she thought were tickets to her first bullfight and ended up watching the touring Harlem Globetrotters.

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Inflation is what turns a nest egg into chicken feed.

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Sunday school teacher: Tell me, Willie, where do bad little boys and girls go?

Willie: To the woodshed.

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When Harold Macmillan, Britain's Prime Minister, fired some 16 cabinet ministers recently, Britishers raised their eyebrows. Some of the victims had been Macmillan's close friends, and even though the Conservative Party had been slipping at the polls, few had expected Mac would act so unflinchingly to keep himself in office.

At the next session of the House of Commons a number of verbal barbs were fired at Macmillan and his "purge." Slyest quip of all, however, came from a Liberal, Jeremy Thorpe. Eyeing the Prime Minister, Thorpe quoted:

"Greater love hath no man than this, that he lay down his friends for his life."

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You can always tell a man's nationality by introducing him to a beautiful girl. An Englishman shakes the girl's hand. A Frenchman kisses her hand. An American asks for a date - and a Russian wires Moscow for instructions.

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STILL A MYSTERY

It seems a couple of passengers on a boat got into something of an argument concerning another passenger's identity. One thought he was the bishop. The other was equally certain he wasn't. Finally, they bet $5 on it. They went up to him and one asked, "Excuse us -- but aren't you the bishop?"

The man addressed put down his paper and roared: "What do you mean intruding on people! -- why in the hell don't you mind your own damn business."

As the two men walked away, one remarked, "Well, I guess the bet's off. We still don't know if he's the bishop."

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Things that I longed for in vain and things that I got -- let them pass. Let me but truly possess the things I spurned and overlooked. -- Tagore

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Benjamin Franklin: There's a time to wink as well as to see.

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The old phrase describing someone with a small, picky appetitite as having "an appetite like a bird," obviously does not take the ostrich into account. Ostriches will dine in almost anything -- and in great quantities. They eat snakes, lizards, small mammals, birds, insects, many kind of plants, and even have a hankering for pebbles, up to and including the size of hen's eggs.

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The absent - minded professor put his umbrella to bed and stood up in the corner and dripped all night.

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A local lawyer was attending a funeral. A friend arrived late and took a seat beside him, whispering: "How far has the service gone?"

The lawyer nodded toward the minister in the pulpit and said: "He just opened the defense."

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FATHER OF VIOLIN

Musical authorities are in disagreement over who developed the first "modern violin," but the credit is generally given to Andrea Amati, who lived in Italy in the 16th century, and founded a family of famous violin - makers. The family's finest craftsman was Nicolo, who made the "Grand Amati," owned by Paganini, and whose pupils included Antonio Stradivari and Andrea Guarneri.

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Father: Now, son aren't you glad you prayed for a baby sister?

Young son, looking at twin girls: Yes. And aren't you glad I quit praying when I did?

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Last summer there was a mass invasion of millipedes out our way. These critters are like centipedes, except that they have more legs. There are two ways of handling them, scholarly entomologists decided. Either spray with insecticides or stand on a chair, as area housewives have been doing, and scream until they go away.

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Whistler came home and found his mother scrubbing the kitchen floor on her hands and knees.

"Why Mother," he exclaimed, "have you gone off your rocker?"

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The motto of the 4-H Club is "To Make The Best Better."

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The Navy's first destroyer, the Bainbridge, was launched in 1901. It had a top speed of 28 knots, displaced 420 tons and was armed with two torpedo tubes, two 3-inch 50's and five six pounders.

Endless Struggle



Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — Things a columnist might never know if he didn't open his mail:

Traditional yule logs, early Dutch settlers believed, helped keep the devil and other evil spirits away.

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The Washington Merry- Go-Round

By DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON — My apologies to two congressmen, John J. Flynt, D-Ga., and Mike Kirwan, D-Ohio, in regard to a recent column on their junkets.

I now find that Rep. Flynt did not get started on his. He was slated to go to the Far East as a member of the House Appropriations Committee, but at the last minute called off the trip.

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For a long time the American part of Samoa has been one of the more neglected portions of the South Seas. It has suffered from poor schools, with one third of the children of high school age not attending. Under the law they are supposed to be taught in English, but few Samoan teachers have a real knowledge of English.

Accordingly, Gov. Rex Lee decided to inaugurate educational television. He had the alternative of firing 300 Samoan teachers and bringing in 300 Americans to teach English, which would have generated ill will. So he decided to use a few American teachers to teach students via TV, and incidentally improve the English of the Samoan teachers.

When the problem came before the House Appropriations Committee, Mike Kirwan, subcommittee chairman, helped appropriate $1,600,000 for educational TV. The money was voted, the TV network was set up in cooperation with the National Association of Educational Broadcasters, and Mike was persuaded — somewhat against his will — to make the trip to dedicate the new TV network.

Mike did inspect public works on the islands, plans for a new hotel and a new hospital. He also dedicated a new airport.

But most important and most inspiring was to see classrooms of Samoan children listening to an American teacher on the TV screen point to a pig and get the children to say in chorus "big pig"; then point to a man and get them to say in chorus "big man."

It was a laborious start, but one which is beginning to get results — so much so that a representative of New Zealand's Samoa Islands and the Prince of Tonga nearby came over to see the Samoan inauguration. It has now become an education showplace for the South Pacific.

I am delighted to give these further facts about Mike Kirwan's junket, and I am grateful to Leonard Marks, counsel for Educational TV, for bringing them to my attention.

--CONGRESSMAN PAYS HIS WAY--

While congressmen are jetting all over the world and staying at the finest hotels — at taxpayer expense — Rep. William Bray, R-Ind., is doing the opposite.

Bray and his wife have left on a 17-day tour of South America and will pay their own expenses for everything, including travel, hotels, meals, and miscellaneous. It won't cost the taxpayers a penny, though Bray plans to spend part of his time on "official business."

He will inspect military missions and foreign aid spending in Brazil, Argentina, and other countries as a representative of the House Armed Services Committee.

"While I plan to do some work, I want to be perfectly honest in saying that the primary purpose of this trip is pleasure," acknowledged Bray. "I'm not criticising colleagues who let the government pay for foreign travel, provided they work while abroad. I've done it myself. But this time Mrs. Bray and I are paying it all."

--HEADLINES AND FOOTNOTES--

The Steelworkers battle to unseat Dave McDonald has started some unfair backlash against some of Dave's friends, among them James P. Griffin, for 22 years director of Youngstown District 26. . . Griffin has done a great job not only for labor but for the community, is chairman of Mahoning County Community College, on the Advisory Vocational Committee, of the Ohio State Board of Education, and Bishop Emmett M. Walsh pays sincere tribute to him for his work among Catholic men. So does auxiliary Bishop James Malone. . . . Incidentally, recent polls taken among Steelworkers indicate that McDonald stands much higher than his opponents suspected. It won't pay to count him out. . .

When the U.S. Naval Academy soccer team played Swarthmore, one Swarthmore player was called "a dirty communist" by a Navy player, another "a nigger." The latter was Geoffrey Mwaungulu, an African guest student from Nyasaland. The Navy name-callers were midshipmen training to become future commanders of the U.S. Navy. . . Final vote count in Kansas showed Junction City publisher John Montgomery, Democrat, losing the race for Congress by only 3,617 votes, the narrowest margin for that district in Kansas history. Montgomery, who publishes an English-language newspaper in Rio de Janeiro, knows Latin America well, would make an excellent U.S. envoy below the Rio Grande. . . . "Georgeous George" Smathers, the handsome senator from Florida, has been dropping hints that he would like to be the new Attorney General (even though he was closely linked with Bobby Baker). . . Dale Miller, close Texas pal of LBJ, was in Mexico City for the inauguration of President Diaz Ordaz. He told Mexicans that LBJ would permit no long benedictions at his own inaugural Jan. 20. Copies of prayers must be submitted to the White House in Advance.

The President wants no long sermon such as that rendered by Cardinal Cushing of Boston when JFK was inaugurated in 1961.

Inside Labor

By VICTOR RIESEL

Longshoremen Vow to Cut Flow of U. S. Aid Shipments To Nations Permitting Mobs To Wreck American Embassies

New York: -- Four anti-American governments which have permitted U. S. embassies and libraries to be invaded or sacked and burned have received more than $1.25 billion in virtually free American food, grain and equipment during the past nine years.

This U. S. aid, dispatched under Public Law 480, is still flowing into those lands by the scores of millions of dollars, though their governments now are supplying guns and military manpower to the Communist - controlled Congolese rebels.

One of those "neutral" countries, the United Arab Republic, added insult to injury the other day by demanding an additional $35 million worth of free aid -- after it permitted a mob to wreck the U. S. embassy compound in Cairo and burn the U. S. Information Agency library on November 26.

However, neither Egypt nor the other governments -- Algeria, Indonesia and the Sudan -- will get a grain if some of the militant International Longshoremen's Assn. leaders have their way. They can't shift foreign policy, but they can ask their people not to "lift that bale."

Union dockwallopers tied up an Algerian - bound grain shipment two years ago in protest against giving wheat to that country when its leader Ben Bella was playing host and pledging support to Fidel Castro in Algiers. And the longshoremen can do it again.

They can refuse to load this cargo to any government which permits its police and armed forces to stand by while mobs burn thousands of American books and wreck our buildings in foreign capitals.

Conversations with longshoremen leaders reveal they would take such action immediately. But they now are bound up in last minute negotiations with the ship owners over a new contract. A strike deadline is set for Dec. 20.

Once this collective bargaining crisis is over, the ILA leaders will go to their national executive board and urge adoption of a boycott of shipments to these lands from all Atlantic and Gulf ports.

"We can't take action now, in the midst of tense negotiations on the wage size of the work force bargaining," Thomas (Teddy) Gleason, ILA president, told this column. "But once this is over we're going to urge our executive board to hit back at what we view with disgust. We don't want wheat to go to those countries which are backing the Congolese rebels, the same sadists who killed the hostages, crunched them to death, murdered nuns, priests and missionaries and forced some of our foreign officers to literally eat an American flag.

"Why should U. S. longshoremen, union men, help get aid to governments which denounce our government and support the grimmest wholesale murder since the Nazi atrocities.

"I know the longshoremen all right and I know they just won't move that stuff."

Gleason pointed out that the longshoremen have speeded cargo to the neutral nations involved, but the attacks changed all this. Look at the figures, he urged.

Those statistics are startling. Since 1954, the U. S. has dispatched over $330 million in surplus foods to Indonesia. In recent weeks the Indonesian police permitted mobs to wreck two U. S. libraries and burn more than 15,000 books.

In the past two years, almost $100 million worth of food and material have gone to Algeria. We have supported the Ben Bella government efforts to pay wages of those on work relief. This has been a direct contribution to help the Algerian laborer.

Yet Premier Ben Bella has dispatched several Soviet-built four - engine turboprop AN-12 military transports with men and arms for the Congolese rebels. The craft went in through the big Khartoum (Sudan) airfield.

The Sudanese government is aiding this operation, though the U. S. has given the Khartoum government more than $90 million in aid during the past few years. As recently as last March, the U. S. agreed to send the Sudan $13.24 million worth of wheat -- and to pay much of the shipping costs during 1964 - 65.

Egypt, center of the pro-Congolese operation, has gotten more than $735 million from the U. S. since 1954.

Cairo now receives this U.S. aid at the rate of $140 million annually. And it wants more -- riots or no riots.

In reply, longshoremen say nobody can force them to aid the allies of wholesale murderers.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

Monday, December 14 is The Turning Off of Air Conditioning at the Wax Museum.

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According to a survey, wives and children think husbands should be allowed to handle family investments. It's the same principle under which the dog gets the bone.

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OFF-HOUR SHOPPING

As the pace of holiday buying accelerates, the shoppers who attend to their chores in off-hours will be rendering a kind of public service. Visiting shopping centers when the rush is not in effect in traffic is a sound policy. If the stores are not too badly crowded the individual can get better and faster service as a matter of course.

If the total buying is spread out over the entire period available instead of being concentrated during the last few days it is a mercy for those who sell. All in all, if you can shop at relatively easy hours, you will be doing everybody concerned a favor, you yourself included.

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Christmas Seals aid the fight against TB. Use them on all your holiday mail.

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It's claimed the average waiter walks about 14 miles a day. No wonder the soup is cold before you get it!

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Our studied advice to you is to never offer anyone advice.

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Aside from the need for an aggressive national policy to reduce foreign trade barriers and restrictions, increased sales promotion and market development is essential to the expansion of world markets for U. S. farm products. Because of the need that exists in this area, the American Farm Bureau Federation in 1960 established, as an affiliate, the Farm Bureau Trade Development Corporation in Rotterdam, the Netherlands. The effort is the only one of its kind financed solely by a private farm organization without any kind of a government subsidy.

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Just learned a branch of the United States Department of Agriculture has searched the world since 1898 hunting useful plants, introducing them and evaluating their crop potentials. It has collected more than 275,000 of them.

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Political economy -- two words that should be divorced on grounds of incompatability.

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Famous Firsts at the Fairs: Alexander Graham Bell exhibited the telephone for the first time at the Philadelphia Fair in 1876. The first Ferris Wheel, exhibited at the World's Columbian Exposition at Chicago in 1893, was named after its inventor George Washington Gale Ferris, an engineer. Both are still popular. Wonder what wonders will be displayed at next year's New York Fair?

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Stop for a minute and do some dreaming. Pretend this isn't 1964 but 1988, pretend you are a millionaire and ready to take off for a drive in the country.

What would driving be like?

Chances are that you could have a dial-a-map service that would allow you to dial a number on your phon-a-vision and ask for the best roads to your destination. Zip. A map of the way would be printed in seconds and sent to you through a transmitting device on your phon-a-vision, with the route already marked. You wouldn't have to have a key to start your car. Just the sound of your voice would do that.

There wouldn't be such a thing as a driving wheel. The car would respond to shifts in the weight of your body. If you wanted to turn to the right, you wouldn lean that way. To the left, you would lean to port.

Near your destination you could throw the car into its electro-mesh-hydraulic-aerial control, a small box that responds to pre-arranged signals that beep-beep from wires embedded in the roadway.

But the best part of the trip would come when you checked your fuel gauge. If it looked low, all you would have to do is open up a small pill box in the glove compartment and drop a pill in the fuel tank, which would be conveniently buried in the steering shaft of your car.

Flat tires? Never. Tires then probably will be made of flaked steel welded into a soft, lumpy mass that never wears out.

Now all you have to do to enjoy this millenium is survive for the next 25 years on today's highways.

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The front passenger seat is still the "death seat" in a car, according to a British study of crashes. The front seat passenger suffered 75 per cent of the serious injuries, as compared to 13 per cent for the driver or 6 per cent of the rear - seat riders.

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Memory Lane: Remember when Tin Pan Alley's hits were measured by the sheet music sold and every five and 10-cent store boasted a painist and song plugger? Today, you have a hit when you sell a million records.

Harvest of the 1964 apple crop -- a total of more than 140 million bushels -- has been completed. This is 12 percent more apples than last year and 14 percent above average.

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Years ago the "peddler" was a familiar person on the country roads of Missouri. Bringing everything to the rural family from thread to sugar and spice his visit, about two days each week, was a welcome sight, especially to the children who lived in hopes they might be able to buy a penny stick of stripped candy.

The days of the rural peddler are gone forever from the Missouri scene but this merchant of a by-gone era had a creed that many Missouri communities could well consider today in their efforts to obtain an industry, "You Can't Sell Goods From An Empty Wagon."

According to Larry Cohick, Industrial Director of the Missouri Commerce and Industrial Development Division, some Missouri towns want an industry but they are trying to sell their goods from an "empty wagon."

"A town or community must prepare itself in advance to attract an industry," Cohick said. "Few business firms will consider moving their factories into a town that has not had the foresight to look ahead. This may apply to its water system, its sewage disposal, its streets, street lighting, or any of the many things that add the 'extra' touch that takes a community from the ordinary 'run of the mill' type community to the hustling, bustling, progressive town that industries are constantly seeking."

The Industrial Director said that recently one small Missouri town had the chance to obtain a factory that would employ 30 persons. "A representative of our division escorted the owner of the factory to the town. He took one look at the main street and threw up his hands in dispair. He stated that under no circumstances would he consider establishing his plant there."

"His reasons were evident," Cohick explained. "The streets of the town were sadly in need of repaving. The street lights were antiquated, store fronts were in a state of disrepair with old fashioned metal roofs over the sidewalks rusting and several on the verge of falling. One look was all it took for this prospect to decide against moving into the town."

"Citizens of Missouri communities who are interested in obtaining an industry should not fail to attend the coming Missouri Community Betterment Awards Banquet and Conference in Jefferson City, December 2nd and 3rd," the director said.

He explained that at the conference it may be learned first hand how industries can be encouraged to consider a community for a new location. He said there would be outstanding speakers on Community Improvement, workshops and displays to educate the uninformed on ways and means to make their communities grow and prosper.

"Prosperous merchants have long known that substantial inventories are needed to sell merchandise," Cohick said. "Many Missouri towns need to take inventory and find what they need to attract an industry. Attendance at the First Annual Missouri Community Betterment Awards Banquet and Conference can furnish the answer to what methods are necessary to embark on a 'path of progress' rather than staying in the 'rut of depression'."

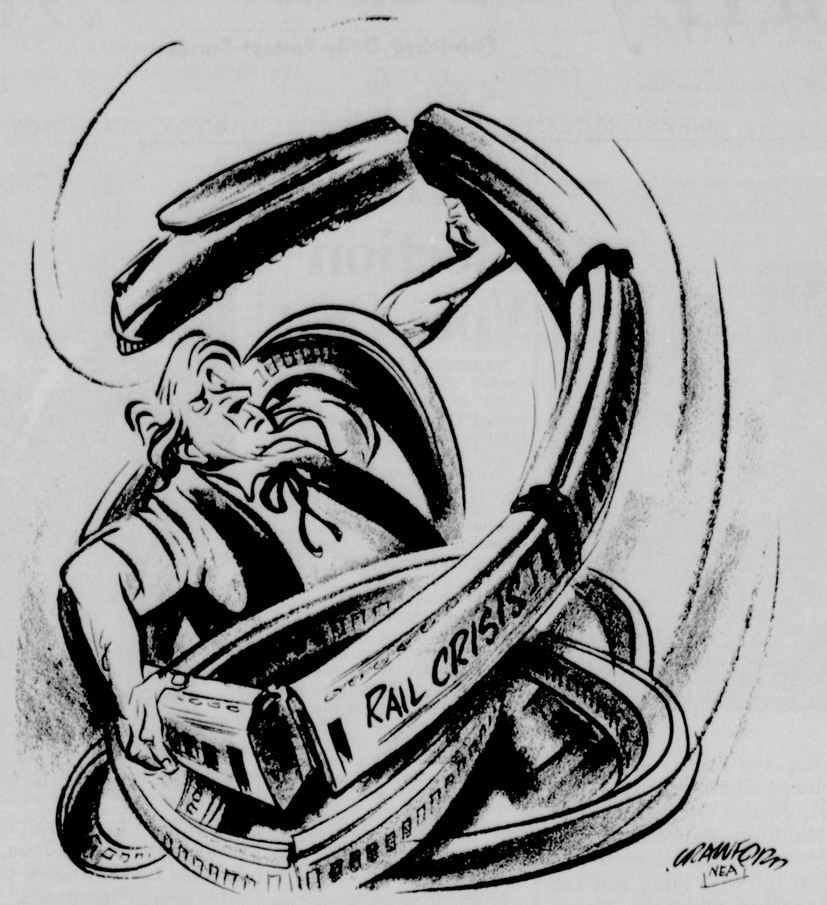
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YOU CAN'T DIVIDE NOTHING

Wealth is production -- the more you produce, the more there is to divide. And modern machines help you produce more.

But if you don't have modern machines, or if you don't use them well, you won't produce anything above bare subsistence. And no matter how you divide nothing, it's still nothing.

Endless Struggle



So your own wealth is your own responsibility -- produce it, or you don't have it.
---Warner & Swasey

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A teacher placed her hat in front of the class and told the students to write an essay about it. For several minutes nothing was heard but the scratching of pens. Then a small boy inquired, "Teacher, are there two p's in stupid?"

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A LONG STORY

To whom, and to what, do you pay taxes?

The quick answer is the federal government. But that isn't the end of the story -- not by a very long shot.

For instance, the Oregon State Tax Commission -- and it's a safe bet that Oregon is a fairly typical state -- has compiled a list of taxing bodies. They number 1,207. Included are schools, cities, five districts, water districts, cemetary districts, counties, parks and so on. Each of these, to some extent, has and uses the power to dip into your pocketbook.

The point is that drives for more economical government should not be restricted to our $100 billion a year federal establishment, vital as that is. Local agencies can be mighty expensive too -- and mighty wasteful. If we are to ever have true economy of operation in public agencies it must be pursued right down to the smallest local level of government.

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"Here," said the husband angrily, holding out a sheaf of monthly bills to his wife. "Pick a bill -- any bill. Then explain it."

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YEAH, MEN ARE UGLIER

Girls are smarter than boys. This will scarcely come as news to girls of any age or to married men.

It may, however, shake up boys and young men, although even they must have a gnawing and growing suspicion that they are being consistently outsmarted by what in the mid-Victorian era was euphemistically known as the fair sex.

The latest proof is provided by tests given 750,000 California pupils in the fifth, eighth and eleventh grades.

These tests -- steady now, fellows -- showed that with the single exception of mathematics in the eleventh grade group, girls excel boys in scholastic ability and all "basic skills."

Being a male, we're not smart enough to know exactly what "basic skills" include. But we'll bet our miserable IQ against whatever is small enough to make a fair bet that one of these skills is the instinctive good sense to leave something tough like mathematics to the men.

The worst part of it is that girls are prettier, too.

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The big-game hunter took his wife on his newest safari. The sportsman had bagged a few minor trophies, but the great prize was the head of a huge lion, killed by his wife.

"What did she hit it with?" asked a friend admiringly. "That 303 Magnum rifle you gave her?"

"No," answered her husband dryly, "with the 1961 station wagon we hired!"

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HIT THE SPOT: Cosmetic stains on washable clothes should be pretreated with detergent and then laundered . . . Scrape off excess of catsup spots, soak in cold water for 30 minutes, pretreat with detergent and launder . . . A girl's pancake make-up on your dark clothes will come off best if the cloth is patted with the sticky side of some cellophane tape.

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At a shower for the bride-to-be, she told her friends, "I plan to have four children -- two boys and two girls."

One friend asked, "Why stop at four?"

"Because," replied the bride-to-be, "I've been reading statistics and find that every fifth child is Chinese."

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DRESS TIPS: According to the American Institute of Men's and Boys' Wear, Inc., it is neither correct nor good judgment to wear sport clothes for business. On the theory that other people base their appraisal of you in part on your appearance -- including your clothes -- it would seem foolish to make less than the best impression possible. The head of an important personnel - placement agency recently remarked, "If two or more men seem equally qualified for a post, I take particular note of their attire. If we are seeking a businessman, we rarely take one who dresses like a golfer."

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The Marriage - Broker was recommending a young woman to a dowdy old widower. "She is young," he said, "and beautiful. And what is more, she has money."

"Sounds too good for me," said the widower, shaking his head. "What's the matter with her?"

"Nothing, I assure you. She is strong and healthy, quite as beautiful as I say she is, and very anxious to get married."

"Doesn't sound right to me," persisted the widower.

"Well, if you must know," added the broker, "she's just the least tiny bit pregnant."

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Never milk a cow in a thunderstorm; you might get left holding the bag.

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"Do you think your boy will forget all he learned in college?

"I hope, so. He can't make a living necking."

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A pollster recently made his own survey of our ailing public school system. His results:

"The trouble is the teachers are afraid of the principals, the principals are afraid of the superintendents, the superintendents are afraid of the school boards, the school boards are afraid of the parents, the parents are afraid of the kids, and the kids know it."

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The trained mermaid staff at Weeki Wachee, the spring of live mermaids on the West Coast of Florida is comprised of girls from Georgia, Michigan, Illinois, Virginia, Iowa, Florida, New Jersey, Ohio, New York, Kentucky, Alabama, Minnesota, Pennsylvania and Canada!

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IN THE STORES: Many men's stores now carrying aerosol stain remover for removing spots from ties and clothing. Works well too. . . This is the time of year when one can get two gifts for the price of one. Various items come in unique packagings that have secondary uses. Example: A belt comes packed in a handsome hinged jewel box.

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They say you should never drink while driving, and I'll go along with that. I always stop the car first, have my drink, and then drive on.

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"They tell me your wife came from an aristocratic old family."

"Not exactly came -- she brought it with her."

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Leaving the plush supper club one night, a miserly gentleman stalked right past the doorman without tipping him. Nevertheless, the doorman helped the man into the car with a flourish and said pleasantly. "In case you happen to lose your wallet on the way home, sir, just remember that you didn't pull it out here."

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A tourist stopped at a combination service station and general store in the back country. While his car was being serviced, he noticed an oldtimer basking in the sun and holding a short piece of rope. The tourist walked over to him and asked, "What have you there?"

"This is a weather guage, sonny."

"How can you possibly tell the weather with a piece of rope," the tourist asked.

"It's simple, sonny," was the droll answer. "When the rope swings back and forth, it's windy, and when it gets wet, it's raining."

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Before Lee Remick left for Spain and a role in a new motion picture, she asked if she should take a crash course in conversational Spanish. She was told it wasn't necessary. Now she knows better. The other day in Malaga she bought what she thought were tickets to her first bullfight and ended up watching the touring Harlem Globetrotters.

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Inflation is what turns a nest egg into chicken feed.

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Sunday school teacher: Tell me, Willie, where do bad little boys and girls go?

Willie: To the woodshed.

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When Harold Macmillan, Britain's Prime Minister, fired some 16 cabinet ministers recently, Britishers raised their eyebrows. Some of the victims had been Macmillan's close friends, and even though the Conservative Party had been slipping at the polls, few had expected Mac would act so unflinchingly to keep himself in office.

At the next session of the House of Commons a number of verbal barbs were fired at Macmillan and his "purge." Slyest quip of all, however, came from a Liberal, Jeremy Thorpe. Eyeing the Prime Minister, Thorpe quoted:

"Greater love hath no man than this, that he lay down his friends for his life."

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You can always tell a man's nationality by introducing him to a beautiful girl. An Englishman shakes the girl's hand. A Frenchman kisses her hand. An American asks for a date - and a Russian wires Moscow for instructions.

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STILL A MYSTERY

It seems a couple of passengers on a boat got into something of an argument concerning another passenger's identity. One thought he was the bishop. The other was equally certain he wasn't. Finally, they bet $5 on it. They went up to him and one asked, "Excuse us -- but aren't you the bishop?"

The man addressed put down his paper and roared: "What do you mean intruding on people! -- why in the hell don't you mind your own damn business."

As the two men walked away, one remarked, "Well, I guess the bet's off. We still don't know if he's the bishop."

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Things that I longed for in vain and things that I got -- let them pass. Let me but truly possess the things I spurned and overlooked. -- Tagore

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Benjamin Franklin: There's a time to wink as well as to see.

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The old phrase describing someone with a small, picky appetitite as having "an appetite like a bird," obviously does not take the ostrich into account. Ostriches will dine in almost anything -- and in great quantities. They eat snakes, lizards, small mammals, birds, insects, many kind of plants, and even have a hankering for pebbles, up to and including the size of hen's eggs.

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The absent - minded professor put his umbrella to bed and stood up in the corner and dripped all night.

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A local lawyer was attending a funeral. A friend arrived late and took a seat beside him, whispering: "How far has the service gone?"

The lawyer nodded toward the minister in the pulpit and said: "He just opened the defense."

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FATHER OF VIOLIN

Musical authorities are in disagreement over who developed the first "modern violin," but the credit is generally given to Andrea Amati, who lived in Italy in the 16th century, and founded a family of famous violin - makers. The family's finest craftsman was Nicolo, who made the "Grand Amati," owned by Paganini, and whose pupils included Antonio Stradivari and Andrea Guarneri.

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Father: Now, son aren't you glad you prayed for a baby sister?

Young son, looking at twin girls: Yes. And aren't you glad I quit praying when I did?

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Last summer there was a mass invasion of millipedes out our way. These critters are like centipedes, except that they have more legs. There are two ways of handling them, scholarly entomologists decided. Either spray with insecticides or stand on a chair, as area housewives have been doing, and scream until they go away.

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Whistler came home and found his mother scrubbing the kitchen floor on her hands and knees.

"Why Mother," he exclaimed, "have you gone off your rocker?"

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The motto of the 4-H Club is "To Make The Best Better."

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The Navy's first destroyer, the Bainbridge, was launched in 1901. It had a top speed of 28 knots, displaced 420 tons and was armed with two torpedo tubes, two 3-inch 50's and five six pounders.

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I now find that Rep. Flynt did not get started on his. He was slated to go to the Far East as a member of the House Appropriations Committee, but at the last minute called off the trip.

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For a long time the American part of Samoa has been one of the more neglected portions of the South Seas. It has suffered from poor schools, with one third of the children of high school age not attending. Under the law they are supposed to be taught in English, but few Samoan teachers have a real knowledge of English.

Accordingly, Gov. Rex Lee decided to inaugurate educational television. He had the alternative of firing 300 Samoan teachers and bringing in 300 Americans to teach English, which would have generated ill will. So he decided to use a few American teachers to teach students via TV, and incidentally improve the English of the Samoan teachers.

When the problem came before the House Appropriations Committee, Mike Kirwan, subcommittee chairman, helped appropriate $1,600,000 for educational TV. The money was voted, the TV network was set up in cooperation with the National Association of Educational Broadcasters, and Mike was persuaded — somewhat against his will — to make the trip to dedicate the new TV network.

Mike did inspect public works on the islands, plans for a new hotel and a new hospital. He also dedicated a new airport.

But most important and most inspiring was to see classrooms of Samoan children listening to an American teacher on the TV screen point to a pig and get the children to say in chorus "big pig"; then point to a man and get them to say in chorus "big man."

It was a laborious start, but one which is beginning to get results — so much so that a representative of New Zealand's Samoa Islands and the Prince of Tonga nearby came over to see the Samoan inauguration. It has now become an education showplace for the South Pacific.

I am delighted to give these further facts about Mike Kirwan's junket, and I am grateful to Leonard Marks, counsel for Educational TV, for bringing them to my attention.

--CONGRESSMAN PAYS HIS WAY--

While congressmen are jetting all over the world and staying at the finest hotels — at taxpayer expense — Rep. William Bray, R-Ind., is doing the opposite.

Bray and his wife have left on a 17-day tour of South America and will pay their own expenses for everything, including travel, hotels, meals, and miscellaneous. It won't cost the taxpayers a penny, though Bray plans to spend part of his time on "official business."

He will inspect military missions and foreign aid spending in Brazil, Argentina, and other countries as a representative of the House Armed Services Committee.

"While I plan to do some work, I want to be perfectly honest in saying that the primary purpose of this trip is pleasure," acknowledged Bray. "I'm not criticising colleagues who let the government pay for foreign travel, provided they work while abroad. I've done it myself. But this time Mrs. Bray and I are paying it all."

--HEADLINES AND FOOTNOTES--

The Steelworkers battle to unseat Dave McDonald has started some unfair backlash against some of Dave's friends, among them James P. Griffin, for 22 years director of Youngstown District 26. . . Griffin has done a great job not only for labor but for the community, is chairman of Mahoning County Community College, on the Advisory Vocational Committee, of the Ohio State Board of Education, and Bishop Emmett M. Walsh pays sincere tribute to him for his work among Catholic men. So does auxiliary Bishop James Malone. . . . Incidentally, recent polls taken among Steelworkers indicate that McDonald stands much higher than his opponents suspected. It won't pay to count him out. . .

When the U.S. Naval Academy soccer team played Swarthmore, one Swarthmore player was called "a dirty communist" by a Navy player, another "a nigger." The latter was Geoffrey Mwaungulu, an African guest student from Nyasaland. The Navy name-callers were midshipmen training to become future commanders of the U.S. Navy. . . Final vote count in Kansas showed Junction City publisher John Montgomery, Democrat, losing the race for Congress by only 3,617 votes, the narrowest margin for that district in Kansas history. Montgomery, who publishes an English-language newspaper in Rio de Janeiro, knows Latin America well, would make an excellent U.S. envoy below the Rio Grande. . . . "Georgeous George" Smathers, the handsome senator from Florida, has been dropping hints that he would like to be the new Attorney General (even though he was closely linked with Bobby Baker). . . Dale Miller, close Texas pal of LBJ, was in Mexico City for the inauguration of President Diaz Ordaz. He told Mexicans that LBJ would permit no long benedictions at his own inaugural Jan. 20. Copies of prayers must be submitted to the White House in Advance.

The President wants no long sermon such as that rendered by Cardinal Cushing of Boston when JFK was inaugurated in 1961.

Inside Labor

By VICTOR RIESEL

Longshoremen Vow to Cut Flow of U. S. Aid Shipments To Nations Permitting Mobs To Wreck American Embassies

New York: -- Four anti-American governments which have permitted U. S. embassies and libraries to be invaded or sacked and burned have received more than $1.25 billion in virtually free American food, grain and equipment during the past nine years.

This U. S. aid, dispatched under Public Law 480, is still flowing into those lands by the scores of millions of dollars, though their governments now are supplying guns and military manpower to the Communist - controlled Congolese rebels.

One of those "neutral" countries, the United Arab Republic, added insult to injury the other day by demanding an additional $35 million worth of free aid -- after it permitted a mob to wreck the U. S. embassy compound in Cairo and burn the U. S. Information Agency library on November 26.

However, neither Egypt nor the other governments -- Algeria, Indonesia and the Sudan -- will get a grain if some of the militant International Longshoremen's Assn. leaders have their way. They can't shift foreign policy, but they can ask their people not to "lift that bale."

Union dockwallopers tied up an Algerian - bound grain shipment two years ago in protest against giving wheat to that country when its leader Ben Bella was playing host and pledging support to Fidel Castro in Algiers. And the longshoremen can do it again.

They can refuse to load this cargo to any government which permits its police and armed forces to stand by while mobs burn thousands of American books and wreck our buildings in foreign capitals.

Conversations with longshoremen leaders reveal they would take such action immediately. But they now are bound up in last minute negotiations with the ship owners over a new contract. A strike deadline is set for Dec. 20.

Once this collective bargaining crisis is over, the ILA leaders will go to their national executive board and urge adoption of a boycott of shipments to these lands from all Atlantic and Gulf ports.

"We can't take action now, in the midst of tense negotiations on the wage size of the work force bargaining," Thomas (Teddy) Gleason, ILA president, told this column. "But once this is over we're going to urge our executive board to hit back at what we view with disgust. We don't want wheat to go to those countries which are backing the Congolese rebels, the same sadists who killed the hostages, crunched them to death, murdered nuns, priests and missionaries and forced some of our foreign officers to literally eat an American flag.

"Why should U. S. longshoremen, union men, help get aid to governments which denounce our government and support the grimmest wholesale murder since the Nazi atrocities.

"I know the longshoremen all right and I know they just won't move that stuff."

Gleason pointed out that the longshoremen have speeded cargo to the neutral nations involved, but the attacks changed all this. Look at the figures, he urged.

Those statistics are startling. Since 1954, the U. S. has dispatched over $330 million in surplus foods to Indonesia. In recent weeks the Indonesian police permitted mobs to wreck two U. S. libraries and burn more than 15,000 books.

In the past two years, almost $100 million worth of food and material have gone to Algeria. We have supported the Ben Bella government efforts to pay wages of those on work relief. This has been a direct contribution to help the Algerian laborer.

Yet Premier Ben Bella has dispatched several Soviet-built four - engine turboprop AN-12 military transports with men and arms for the Congolese rebels. The craft went in through the big Khartoum (Sudan) airfield.

The Sudanese government is aiding this operation, though the U. S. has given the Khartoum government more than $90 million in aid during the past few years. As recently as last March, the U. S. agreed to send the Sudan $13.24 million worth of wheat -- and to pay much of the shipping costs during 1964 - 65.

Egypt, center of the pro-Congolese operation, has gotten more than $735 million from the U. S. since 1954.

Cairo now receives this U.S. aid at the rate of $140 million annually. And it wants more -- riots or no riots.

In reply, longshoremen say nobody can force them to aid the allies of wholesale murderers.

The Women's Page

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Mrs. Kermit Bird Hostess To Woman's for Christmas Party

The Woman's Club of Sikeston met Tuesday afternoon, December 8, for their Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Kermit Bird with 38 members and three guests, Mrs. Eldon Ziegenhorn, Mrs. J. E. Childress and Mrs. Jo Anne Fox.

The business session was presided over by the president, Mrs. Fred Steward Sr.

The correspondence read by the second vice president, Mrs. W. A. Smith.

A letter from the president of M. F. W. C., Mrs. Raymond Gepford of Kansas City on the Care program. The club sends five dollars to this project.

The Woman's Division of the Chamber of Commerce is asking the club members to send in Slogans for Sikeston which one will be selected and used throughout the city.

Mrs. M. E. Montgomery, membership chairman, presented Mrs. Elmer Poage's name as a new member.

The program was presided over by Mrs. R. D. Mow, chairman of Fine Arts Department. Mrs. Thatcher Scism gave a short introduction of the Christmas story to be presented in music and poetry.

Mrs. E. J. Nienstedt as the reader. Mrs. J. E. Childress, pianist and Mrs. Jo Anne Fox vocalist.

Following the program a social hour with gifts exchanged was enjoyed.

Refreshments in keeping with the Holiday season were served with Mrs. Fred Steward presiding at the punch bowl.

The hostesses were Mrs. W. G. Funk, Mrs. M. E. Montgomery, Mrs. E. J. Nienstedt, Mrs. Edna Husband and Mrs. Kermit Bird.



Mrs. Alec Waters

Mother of Four To Appear In Little Theatre

Mrs. Alec Waters, better known perhaps as "Ginnie," is the mother of four, but still finds time to participate in the Sikeston Little Theatre production of "J. B."

Mrs. Waters previous experience was mainly in the television field, "which" she says, "is quite different from the stage." She appeared in the Tidewater Area of Virginia as a panelist on the Mildred Alexander Show and as a model on a television charm school for housewives.

The Waters family has just moved to Sikeston and are delighted to be able to participate in a Little Theatre group.

Season's tickets for the Sikeston Little Theatre are still available and may be obtained from Mrs. Barbara Smith, GR-1-1077 or by sending your check to Sikeston Little Theatre, P. O. Box 126, Sikeston.

"J. B." will be presented Thursday and Friday, December 18 and 19 at the Middle School Auditorium.

Mrs. Renner Gives Program to DAR About Indians

King's Highway Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution met with Mrs. William Huff Monday evening December 7. Mrs. Eva Reed, sister of Misses Caroline and Isabel Hess, was a guest.

The regent, Mrs. Huff, opened the meeting with the DAR ritual. Mrs. Mildred Cooper gave the national defense report which dealt with the shipment of tanks, military trucks and trailers from Russia.

Mrs. Wallace Crane reported that the good citizenship girls elected by their respective schools are: Patricia Wallace, Charleston; Jeanne Howard, East Prairie; Norma Gale Skolsky, Sikeston; Donna Johnson, Scott County Central; Peggy Johnson, Kelly; and Mary Haddock, Chaffee.

Mrs. Helen Jones read a letter from the Americana chairman on the importance of preserving folk music and antiques.

The program on Indians was given by Mrs. A. J. Renner. She showed slides of the Navaho Reservation. The magnificant scenery and the meager of natural resources were very evident. Their crafts were shown at Indian fairs and the improvement in the educational and living conditions since, uranium, gas and oil have been discovered on the reservation. The friends from these resources are administered by a tribal council.

WMU Observe Week of Prayer

MOREHOUSE -- The W. M. U. met Wednesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Morehouse to observe the Week of prayer for Foreign Missions, with six members present. The program topic was "We Follow In His Train." Mrs. Melvin Rodgers was program leader; she gave the Devotional Message and the "Presentation of Needs". Mrs. Dewey Savage gave two parts, "To The Hungry" and "To The Thirsty". Mrs. Fred Laminack also gave two parts, "To The Stranger" and "To The Naked. Mrs. Marion Clark gave "To The Sick." A period of directed prayer was given by Mrs. Mont Frank. The Benediction was by all singing one verse of "Come Thou Almighty King."

The W. M. U. also met at the Church Thursday afternoon for the conclusion of the "Week of Prayer" for Foreign Mission with only four members present, so many out because of sickness. The program topic was "Children of The King," Mrs. Berniece Bryant as leader. Mrs. Melvin Rodgers gave the Devotional; Mrs. Fred Laminack and Mrs. Mont Frank gave "Baptist Witness Around The World." Each one led in prayer for Missionaries as the Benediction. A Lottie Moon Christmas Offering will be taken church-wide on Sunday.

Miss Janet Pope Exchanged Vows With Sam McVay

Miss Janet Pope, daughter of Mrs. Vera L. Pope and the late Thomas H. Pope, became the bride of Sam McVay, son of Mr. and Mrs. George McVay of Matthews, Nov. 21.

The Rev. Thomas Messer performed the double ring ceremony in the Baptist Foundation Chapel.

Given in marriage by her brother, Darryl Pope, the bride wore an afternoon - length gown of white lace. She also wore a veil of illusion and carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums.

Miss Judith Pope served her sister as maid of honor. Bob McVay of Commerce was best man.

The bride is employed at Southeast Missouri Hospital. Mr. McVay plans to enter State College in February.

Kiwanis Members Attend Inter-Club Dinner Meeting

MOREHOUSE --Seven Morehouse Kiwanis Club members and their wives attended an Inter-club dinner meeting with the Lilbourn Kiwanis Club at the City Hall in Lilbourn Thursday night. Ladies of the Church of God prepared and served the dinner; the proceeds go to the Church Fund. As no program was presented, the highlights of the meeting was the introduction of the guests. Those attending from Morehouse were Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Chittendon, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Menees, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Swinger, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Donner, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Ayres, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rauch, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Daniels and the latter's mother from Lilbourn, Mrs. W. W. Hoehn.

Hospital Notes

Patients Admitted to the Missouri Delta Community Hospital December 13, 1964
Clarence Cantrell, Sikeston
Dennis Hodges, Charleston
Loretta Aycock, East Prairie
Mary Hamilton, Benton
Alcy Bragg, Sikeston
Patients Discharged Dec. 13
Curtis Mathis, Sikeston
Raymond Powers, Anniston
Bessie Goetz, Sikeston
Lawrence Carr, Carmi, Ill.
Lucy Carr, Carmi, Ill.
Louella Hunley, Crossville, Ill.
Benny Shaw, Parma
Georgia Bard, East Prairie
Medford Livingston, Sikeston

Patients Admitted to the Delta Community Hospital December 12, 1964
Harley Barnes, Sikeston
Clifford Gipson, Sikeston
Paul Nance, Charleston
Ivy Sisk, East Prairie
George Dawes, Sikeston
Kelly Lawrence, Morehouse
Mildred Alberson, Sikeston
Carolyn Dickerson, Sikeston
Wade Harper, East Prairie
Medford Livingston, Sikeston
Patiends Discharged Dec. 12
Lela Pearl Chaney, Sikeston
Brenda L. Henry, Wyatt
Ruby Andres, Sikeston
Viola Stevenson, Springfield
Janet Stevenson, Springfield
Agnes Payne, Sikeston
Frank Houck, Sikeston
Charles DeLay, Pasadena
California
Nora McMullin, Sikeston
Liola Whitehurst, Springfield
Byrn Sheppard, East Prairie
Arnold Groves, Bertrand

Gleaner's Class Has Annual Christmas Party

MOREHOUSE -- The Gleaner's Class of the First Baptist Church in Morehouse held their annual Christmas Party in the Blue Room of the Mid-Towner in Sikeston Tuesday night with thirteen members attending. The room was beautifully decorated in the Christmas theme; a trimmed lighted Christmas tree where gifts were placed underneath. After the bountiful dinner, several games were played.

The only business was a discussion for an offering to present a needy family with a basket of food for Christmas and collect toys for two needy children and an exchange of gifts. Those attending were Mesdames Ann Newton, Jean Westerfield, Jean Bryant, Betty Payne, Sue Sweeney, Ella Mae Orr, Janice Glover, Armetha Taylor, Niva Breedo' Pat Glover, Pat Ross, Wanda Conley and Miss Jean Boswell.

Employees Honored With Banquet Tuesday

MOREHOUSE -- Mr. Earl Watkins of Dexter, owner of several Funeral Homes, entertained Tuesday night with an annual Christmas Banquet for all his employees and their wives, the ministers and their wives and one member of the city law in towns where he has Funeral Homes. The State Highway Patrol in this area were also guests, also Florists and fire department dispatcher and his wife of Dexter. They were entertained by a quartet sponsored by Mrs. Watkins. They sing every Sunday on Radio Station K. D. E. X. in Dexter. The guest speaker was Rev. Montgomery. The room was beautifully decorated, as well as the table in the Christmas theme. Mr. Watkins presented everyone present with a gift. Those attending from Morehouse were Mr. and Mrs. Estle Rogers, managers of the local Funeral Home, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Hewitt of Canalou and Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Bohannon of Morehouse.



NATION WIDE MEN'S DAY was observed Sunday at the Morehouse Assembly of God Church. The men all voted and chose Mr. J. W. Coke who was given an award for the outstanding Man of the Year in the work of the church. He is the Bible Class teacher and is married and has two children. Mr. Coke is a resident of Sikeston and is employed at the Goza - Harper Motor Co. He is a member of the Assembly of God Church in Morehouse.

"Another woman driver!" my husband growled as a car cut us off on a busy freeway. Later we drew abreast of the offender and saw that it was a man. Unrepentant, my husband observed, "His mother probably taught him to drive."
—Dolores J. Watkins

Peaches 'N Cream Cheese Cookie Pie



Here's a pie that is filled with summer sunshine to serve in the cold of winter. Canned peach pie filling that tastes fruit fresh and sweet as if just picked, is the magic ingredient. Spooned right from the can, this fruit pie filling can be used year 'round in cobblers, pies or atop cake and ice cream sundaes.

This Peaches 'N Cream Cheese Cookie Pie is so easy to prepare that you'll want to treat the family to it often. The crust is made from nut-studded butterscotch cookies—the refrigerated kind that only need slicing and baking. Sweetened cream cheese is the base for the velvety-smooth topping that caps this delightful dessert. Try it soon—it will add a colorful and flavorful note to your winter menus.

Peaches 'N Cream Cheese Cookie Pie

1 roll refrigerated butterscotch nut cookies
8-oz. package cream cheese
½ cup powdered sugar
1 egg
1 can (2½ cups) peach pie filling

Lightly grease and sugar the bottom and sides of a 9-inch pie pan. Cut cookie dough into slices ⅛-inch thick. Line bottom and sides of pan with cookie slices, overlapping slightly to form a scalloped edge (use about ½ roll). Bake at 375° for 8 to 10 minutes, until light golden brown. Cool.

Combine softened cream cheese, powdered sugar and egg. Beat until smooth. Turn peach filling into cooled crust; spread cream cheese mixture over top. Bake at 350° for 25 to 30 minutes. 8 servings.

Social Calender

MONDAY
Ladies Auxiliary to the V.-F. W. will meet at 7 p.m. at Post Home. Important meeting.

The Keith Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church will meet at the home of Linda Miller Monday, Dec. 14 at 6:00 P.M. for the Christmas Party.

MONDAY
The Coalesce Club will meet Monday, December 14 at the Mid-Towner for their annual Christmas Party. Husbands are invited and there will be a gift exchange.

TUESDAY
The Bethany Class of the First Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Ray Clinton, 1025 N. Kingshighway, at 7:30 p.m. for regular class meeting and Christmas Party. (December 15). Don't forget to bring gift for the children's home and gift for exchange among members.

THURSDAY
American Auxiliary will meet Thursday night at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. H. G. Cathey 577 Park.

SATURDAY
Troop 111 Bake Sale will be held Saturday, December 19. Will deliver. If you want to place an order call GR 1-2282.

SUNDAY
December 20th, 6 p.m. the entire congregation of the First Methodist Church and other friends are cordially invited to attend a fellowship dinner at the Legion Hall.

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ANN LANDERS
Answers your problems

Dear Ann Landers: What can I do about a boy friend whose chief interest in life is food? Sidney is not a teen-ager. He is 24 years old and plenty overweight, I might add.

Sidney never holds my hand in a movie because he is too busy shoveling popcorn into his mouth. At football games, while other couples hold hands, Sidney must have his hands free — for the hot dogs and potato chips. Even when he drives the car one hand is in a bag of jelly beans.

The other evening while we were watching TV Sidney was munching on leechee nuts till I thought I'd lose my mind. When I saw him to the door he said, "I'd kiss you goodnight, dear, but I can't seem to get rid of this salt-water taffy."

I could compete with another female, Ann, but how does one compete with food? Help. Please. — TENA

Dear Tena: Sidney sounds like a nervous eater. And he could eat himself into an early grave unless he resolves the problems that are driving him to food.

A 24-year-old man who is so busy with salt-water taffy that he can't kiss his girl goodnight needs professional help.

Dear Ann Landers: Some people I work with didn't like the advice you gave the stepmother who despised her husband's 16-year-old daughter.

When the stepmother wrote, "My husband is on MY side" I knew what the poor kid was up against. You said the stepdaughter would be better off in a foster home. This was a pretty bold piece of advice but you were right.

My stepmother yanked me out of dancing school after two lessons because I was "a clumsy cow." After three voice lessons she decided I was tone deaf. I had four piano lessons and then they were knocked off because I was "too dumb" to learn. (I wasn't too dumb to do the washing and ironing and scrub the floors.)

In the 12 years I buttered my bread in that house my father never said one decent word to me. If it weren't for the moral support of two wonderful high school teachers I would have headed for the river. You were right and don't let anyone tell you different. — ALSO STEPPED ON

Dear Also: Dozens of readers DID tell me different but my position is unchanged.

The hostility of the stepmother and the total absence of sympathy on the part of the father persuaded me that the girl didn't stand a chance under that roof—and I said so.

At times my advice makes many people angry but I'm not trying to win a popularity contest. I'm trying to help those who need it.

Dear Ann Landers: Jack has asked me to marry him but something is holding me back. He loves children and I don't want to be bothered.

The thought of having a family upsets me. My figure is great and I don't want to lose it — even temporarily. I become sick to my stomach when I think of feeding and diapering the little brats. Being stuck at home with them would be a drag.

Jack talks to strange kids on the street and can pick up any dirty, ragged little kid and love him to pieces. I'm sure he'd insist on a family.

Should I marry Jack under these conditions? And don't suggest a psychiatrist. I won't go. I just want a yes or no.— HONEST BABE

Dear Babe: It would be a dirty trick to marry Jack. And it would be an even dirtier trick to the children you might bring into the world. Stay single or find an oddball like yourself.

Parents are people —they can be right and they can be wrong. To help understand their viewpoint and to promote harmony at home, write for ANN LANDERS' booklet, "How To Live With Your Parents," enclosing with your request 20 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

News in Brief

Order grave blankets now. Roping, loose Holly, Evergreen branches, Holly Wreaths, Woehlecke Florist, Phone GR 1-5501. 12-8-14t

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Johnson of Jonesboro, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. Randol Johnson and daughter, Rhonda Sue, of Chester, Ill., spent Sunday here with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. L. D. Randol. Also arriving that day were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bradley of Bismarck, N. D., who had been to Atlanta, Ga. last week and returned to visit until Wednesday with Mrs. Bradley's mother, Mrs. Randol.

Mrs. Homer Scobey of Sikeston, and nieces, Miss Louise Coffee of Memphis, Tenn.; Mrs. Mildred Sloas of New Madrid and Mrs. Wilma Morlan of Caruthersville went to St. Louis Saturday to visit with their sister and mother, Mrs. Evelyn Conner, who is a patient in the Missouri Baptist Hospital. They returned Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Phillips of Holland, Mo. visited the latter part of the week with Mrs. Phillips' sisters, Mrs. R. T. Wainman of Sikeston and Mrs. Jessie Grant of Morley. Mrs. Wainman accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Phillips home Monday for the days visit and will also visit with her niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moore of Caruthersville, before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Conrad and Mrs. Dorothy Brown of San Antonio, Texas arrived Friday for a visit with the ladies sisters, Mrs. Carrie Fisher, Mrs. Hazel Cagle and Mrs. James Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen and daughter, Susan, of Christopher, Ill., spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Allen. Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Duncan and children, April and Jeff, of DuQuoin, Ill., visited with Mrs. Duncan's parents, Mr. Joe Allen, who is ill, is reported to be improving.

Delta Keglers

by Mary Meyer

By now, everyone should be in the usual Christmas rush. Christmas cards, presents hidden in closets, mysterious rustling of paper and wrappings late at night after the kids are asleep.

All of which has nothing to do with bowling, but this column is for women bowlers and we're all doing some or all of these things now.

Monday night, Thelma Hampton had a 212 and a 519 for high game and series on the Powder Puff League. Liberty had high team game and series with 742 and 2060.

Mary Anderson paced the Newcomers Tuesday morning with high game of 188 and high series of 481. Team #1 took high team game and series with 553 and 1489.

On the Tuesday morning Housewives, Betty Estes led the field with high game of 204 and high series of 533. This girl can fly a plane, swim, fish, golf, knit, sew beautifully, you name it, she does it and does it well. The Strikers had high team game and series with 652 and 1848.

With the Imperialettes on Tuesday night, Pearl Freeman had a 183 for high game and Peggy Godwin a 482 for high series. Crown Finance had 718 for high team game and 2023 was the three game total high series for L & A Laundry.

On the Delta Keglers, also on Tuesday night, Peggy Dickson had high game of 203 and Jean Lee a three game high series of 537. A word here about Jean Lee. Jean is one of those consistent bowlers. You'll nearly always find her total in the high 400's or 500's, 600 too, but that not so often. After all!

Ziegenhorn Insurance had both high team game and series with 824 and 2346.

On Wednesday night, with the Royal Keglers, Lil Acord had a 210 for high game and Norma Baker a 536 for high series. Alcorn had high team game of 855 and A & B Oil a 2388 for high team series.

With the Friday Bowlettes, Jena Hopwood had high game and series with a 177 and a 507. Shy's Rexall had high team game and series with a 742 and a 2213.

My thanks to all the secretaries. They all contacted me; didn't have to call anyone.



SYLVIA NICKENS

SYLVIA NICKENS, a trainee of the Practical Nurse Training Program, models the very latest in "hospital fashions" at the Nurses' party. A draw sheet plus other accessories peculiar to hospitals made up this attractive costume.

Happenstance. The head of an electronics company was being interviewed. "How do you stumble upon all these new electronic products?" asked the newsman. Pointing to a huge research building across the street, the executive smiled and replied, "See that over there? We maintain a Stumbling Department for that very purpose."—Dan Bennett

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My sports car is so small I have to pay parking tickets in Juvenile Court.—Bob McFadden

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A Russian who lives happily under the present system of government in Russia must either believe that man has no soul, or that, if he has, it is not worth developing.—Oscar Wilde

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An announcer for station KELP, El Paso, Texas, ended his commercial announcement with: "You can get all these bargains at Meyers, located midway between the downtown traffic mess and the Five Points traffic-circle bottleneck."

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The Women's Page

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Mrs. Kermit Bird Hostess To Woman's for Christmas Party

The Woman's Club of Sikeston met Tuesday afternoon, December 8, for their Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Kermit Bird with 38 members and three guests, Mrs. Eldon Ziegenhorn, Mrs. J. E. Childress and Mrs. Jo Anne Fox.

The business session was presided over by the president, Mrs. Fred Steward Sr.

The correspondence read by the second vice president, Mrs. W. A. Smith.

A letter from the president of M. F. W. C., Mrs. Raymond Gepford of Kansas City on the Care program. The club sends five dollars to this project.

The Woman's Division of the Chamber of Commerce is asking the club members to send in Slogans for Sikeston which one will be selected and used throughout the city.

Mrs. M. E. Montgomery, membership chairman, presented Mrs. Elmer Poage's name as a new member.

The program was presided over by Mrs. R. D. Mow, chairman of Fine Arts Department. Mrs. Thatcher Scism gave a short introduction of the Christmas story to be presented in music and poetry.

Mrs. E. J. Nienstedt as the reader. Mrs. J. E. Childress, pianist and Mrs. Jo Anne Fox vocalist.

Following the program a social hour with gifts exchanged was enjoyed.

Refreshments in keeping with the Holiday season were served with Mrs. Fred Steward presiding at the punch bowl.

The hostesses were Mrs. W. G. Funk, Mrs. M. E. Montgomery, Mrs. E. J. Nienstedt, Mrs. Edna Husband and Mrs. Kermit Bird.

Mrs. Renner Gives Program to DAR About Indians

King's Highway Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution met with Mrs. William Huff Monday evening December 7. Mrs. Eva Reed, sister of Misses Caroline and Isabel Hess, was a guest.

The regent, Mrs. Huff, opened the meeting with the DAR ritual. Mrs. Mildred Cooper gave the national defense report which dealt with the shipment of tanks, military trucks and trailers from Russia.

Mrs. Wallace Crane reported that the good citizenship girls elected by their respective schools are: Patricia Wallace, Charleston; Jeanne Howard, East Prairie; Norma Gale Skolsky, Sikeston; Donna Johnson, Scott County Central; Peggy Johnson, Kelly; and Mary Haddock, Chaffee.

Mrs. Helen Jones read a letter from the Americana chairman on the importance of preserving folk music and antiques.

The program on Indians was given by Mrs. A. J. Renner. She showed slides of the Navaho Reservation. The magnificant scenery and the meager of natural resources were very evident. Their crafts were shown at Indian fairs and the improvement in the educational and living conditions since, uranium, gas and oil have been discovered on the reservation. The friends from these resources are administered by a tribal council.

WMU Observe Week of Prayer

MOREHOUSE -- The W. M. U. met Wednesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Morehouse to observe the Week of prayer for Foreign Missions, with six members present. The program topic was "We Follow In His Train." Mrs. Melvin Rodgers was program leader; she gave the Devotional Message and the "Presentation of Needs". Mrs. Dewey Savage gave two parts, "To The Hungry" and "To The Thirsty". Mrs. Fred Laminack also gave two parts, "To The Stranger" and "To The Naked. Mrs. Marion Clark gave "To The Sick." A period of directed prayer was given by Mrs. Mont Frank. The Benediction was by all singing one verse of "Come Thou Almighty King."

The W. M. U. also met at the Church Thursday afternoon for the conclusion of the "Week of Prayer" for Foreign Mission with only four members present, so many out because of sickness. The program topic was "Children of The King," Mrs. Berniece Bryant as leader. Mrs. Melvin Rodgers gave the Devotional; Mrs. Fred Laminack and Mrs. Mont Frank gave "Baptist Witness Around The World." Each one led in prayer for Missionaries as the Benediction. A Lottie Moon Christmas Offering will be taken church-wide on Sunday.

Miss Janet Pope Exchanged Vows With Sam McVay

Miss Janet Pope, daughter of Mrs. Vera L. Pope and the late Thomas H. Pope, became the bride of Sam McVay, son of Mr. and Mrs. George McVay of Matthews, Nov. 21.

The Rev. Thomas Messer performed the double ring ceremony in the Baptist Foundation Chapel.

Given in marriage by her brother, Darryl Pope, the bride wore an afternoon - length gown of white lace. She also wore a veil of illusion and carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums.

Miss Judith Pope served her sister as maid of honor. Bob McVay of Commerce was best man.

The bride is employed at Southeast Missouri Hospital. Mr. McVay plans to enter State College in February.

Kiwanis Members Attend Inter-Club Dinner Meeting

MOREHOUSE --Seven Morehouse Kiwanis Club members and their wives attended an Inter-club dinner meeting with the Lilbourn Kiwanis Club at the City Hall in Lilbourn Thursday night. Ladies of the Church of God prepared and served the dinner; the proceeds go to the Church Fund. As no program was presented, the highlights of the meeting was the introduction of the guests. Those attending from Morehouse were Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Chittendon, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Menees, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Swinger, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Donner, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Ayres, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rauch, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Daniels and the latter's mother from Lilbourn, Mrs. W. W. Hoehn.

Hospital Notes

Patients Admitted to the Missouri Delta Community Hospital December 13, 1964
Clarence Cantrell, Sikeston
Dennis Hodges, Charleston
Loretta Aycock, East Prairie
Mary Hamilton, Benton
Alcy Bragg, Sikeston
Patients Discharged Dec. 13
Curtis Mathis, Sikeston
Raymond Powers, Anniston
Bessie Goetz, Sikeston
Lawrence Carr, Carmi, Ill.
Lucy Carr, Carmi, Ill.
Louella Hunley, Crossville, Ill.
Benny Shaw, Parma
Georgia Bard, East Prairie
Medford Livingston, Sikeston

Patients Admitted to the Delta Community Hospital December 12, 1964
Harley Barnes, Sikeston
Clifford Gipson, Sikeston
Paul Nance, Charleston
Ivy Sisk, East Prairie
George Dawes, Sikeston
Kelly Lawrence, Morehouse
Mildred Alberson, Sikeston
Carolyn Dickerson, Sikeston
Wade Harper, East Prairie
Medford Livingston, Sikeston
Patiends Discharged Dec. 12
Lela Pearl Chaney, Sikeston
Brenda L. Henry, Wyatt
Ruby Andres, Sikeston
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Mrs. Alec Waters

Mother of Four To Appear In Little Theatre

Mrs. Alec Waters, better known perhaps as "Ginnie," is the mother of four, but still finds time to participate in the Sikeston Little Theatre production of "J. B."

Mrs. Waters previous experience was mainly in the television field, "which" she says, "is quite different from the stage." She appeared in the Tidewater Area of Virginia as a panelist on the Mildred Alexander Show and as a model on a television charm school for housewives.

The Waters family has just moved to Sikeston and are delighted to be able to participate in a Little Theatre group.

Season's tickets for the Sikeston Little Theatre are still available and may be obtained from Mrs. Barbara Smith, GR-1-1077 or by sending your check to Sikeston Little Theatre, P. O. Box 126, Sikeston.

"J. B." will be presented Thursday and Friday, December 18 and 19 at the Middle School Auditorium.

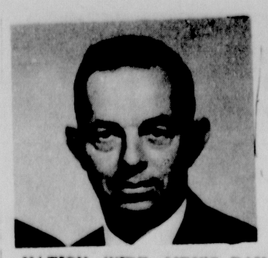
Gleaner's Class Has Annual Christmas Party

MOREHOUSE -- The Gleaner's Class of the First Baptist Church in Morehouse held their annual Christmas Party in the Blue Room of the Mid-Towner in Sikeston Tuesday night with thirteen members attending. The room was beautifully decorated in the Christmas theme; a trimmed lighted Christmas tree where gifts were placed underneath. After the bountiful dinner, several games were played.

The only business was a discussion for an offering to present a needy family with a basket of food for Christmas and collect toys for two needy children and an exchange of gifts. Those attending were Mesdames Ann Newton, Jean Westerfield, Jean Bryant, Betty Payne, Sue Sweeney, Ella Mae Orr, Janice Glover, Armetha Taylor, Niva Breedon Pat Glover, Pat Ross, Wanda Conley and Miss Jean Boswell.

Employees Honored With Banquet Tuesday

MOREHOUSE -- Mr. Earl Watkins of Dexter, owner of several Funeral Homes, entertained Tuesday night with an annual Christmas Banquet for all his employees and their wives, the ministers and their wives and one member of the city law in towns where he has Funeral Homes. The State Highway Patrol in this area were also guests, also Florists and fire department dispatcher and his wife of Dexter. They were entertained by a quartet sponsored by Mrs. Watkins. They sing every Sunday on Radio Station K. D. E. X. in Dexter. The guest speaker was Rev. Montgomery. The room was beautifully decorated, as well as the table in the Christmas theme. Mr. Watkins presented everyone present with a gift. Those attending from Morehouse were Mr. and Mrs. Estle Rogers, managers of the local Funeral Home, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Hewitt of Canalou and Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Bohannon of Morehouse.



NATION WIDE MEN'S DAY was observed Sunday at the Morehouse Assembly of God Church. The men all voted and chose Mr. J. W. Coke who was given an award for the outstanding Man of the Year in the work of the church. He is the Bible Class teacher and is married and has two children. Mr. Coke is a resident of Sikeston and is employed at the Goza - Harper Motor Co. He is a member of the Assembly of God Church in Morehouse.

"Another woman driver!" my husband growled as a car cut us off on a busy freeway. Later we drew abreast of the offender and saw that it was a man. Unrepentant, my husband observed, "His mother probably taught him to drive."
—Dolores J. Watkins

Peaches 'N Cream Cheese Cookie Pie



Here's a pie that is filled with summer sunshine to serve in the cold of winter. Canned peach pie filling that tastes fruit fresh and sweet as if just picked, is the magic ingredient. Spooned right from the can, this fruit pie filling can be used year 'round in cobblers, pies or atop cake and ice cream sundaes.

This Peaches 'N Cream Cheese Cookie Pie is so easy to prepare that you'll want to treat the family to it often. The crust is made from nut-studded butterscotch cookies—the refrigerated kind that only need slicing and baking. Sweetened cream cheese is the base for the velvety-smooth topping that caps this delightful dessert. Try it soon—it will add a colorful and flavorful note to your winter menus.

Peaches 'N Cream Cheese Cookie Pie

1 roll refrigerated butterscotch nut cookies
8-oz. package cream cheese
½ cup powdered sugar
1 egg
1 can (2½ cups) peach pie filling

Lightly grease and sugar the bottom and sides of a 9-inch pie pan. Cut cookie dough into slices ⅛-inch thick. Line bottom and sides of pan with cookie slices, overlapping slightly to form a scalloped edge (use about ½ roll). Bake at 375° for 8 to 10 minutes, until light golden brown. Cool.

Combine softened cream cheese, powdered sugar and egg. Beat until smooth. Turn peach filling into cooled crust; spread cream cheese mixture over top. Bake at 350° for 25 to 30 minutes. 8 servings.

Social Calender

MONDAY
Ladies Auxiliary to the V. F. W. will meet at 7 p.m. at Post Home. Important meeting.

The Keith Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church will meet at the home of Linda Miller Monday, Dec. 14 at 6:00 P.M. for the Christmas Party.

MONDAY
The Coalesce Club will meet Monday, December 14 at the Mid-Towner for their annual Christmas Party. Husbands are invited and there will be a gift exchange.

TUESDAY
The Bethany Class of the First Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Ray Clinton, 1025 N. Kingshighway, at 7:30 p.m. for regular class meeting and Christmas Party. (December 15). Don't forget to bring gift for the children's home and gift for exchange among members.

THURSDAY
American Auxiliary will meet Thursday night at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. H. G. Cathey 577 Park.

SATURDAY
Troop 111 Bake Sale will be held Saturday, December 19. Will deliver. If you want to place an order call GR 1-2282.

SUNDAY
December 20th, 6 p.m. the entire congregation of the First Methodist Church and other friends are cordially invited to attend a fellowship dinner at the Legion Hall.

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ANN LANDERS
Answers your problems

Dear Ann Landers: What can I do about a boy friend whose chief interest in life is food? Sidney is not a teen-ager. He is 24 years old and plenty overweight, I might add.

Sidney never holds my hand in a movie because he is too busy shoveling popcorn into his mouth. At football games, while other couples hold hands, Sidney must have his hands free — for the hot dogs and potato chips. Even when he drives the car one hand is in a bag of jelly beans.

The other evening while we were watching TV Sidney was munching on leechee nuts till I thought I'd lose my mind. When I saw him to the door he said, "I'd kiss you goodnight, dear, but I can't seem to get rid of this salt-water taffy."

I could compete with another female, Ann, but how does one compete with food? Help. Please. — TENA

Dear Tena: Sidney sounds like a nervous eater. And he could eat himself into an early grave unless he resolves the problems that are driving him to food.

A 24-year-old man who is so busy with salt-water taffy that he can't kiss his girl goodnight needs professional help.

Dear Ann Landers: Some people I work with didn't like the advice you gave the stepmother who despised her husband's 16-year-old daughter.

When the stepmother wrote, "My husband is on MY side" I knew what the poor kid was up against. You said the stepdaughter would be better off in a foster home. This was a pretty bold piece of advice but you were right.

My stepmother yanked me out of dancing school after two lessons because I was "a clumsy cow." After three voice lessons she decided I was tone deaf. I had four piano lessons and then they were knocked off because I was "too dumb" to learn. (I wasn't too dumb to do the washing and ironing and scrub the floors.)

In the 12 years I buttered my bread in that house my father never said one decent word to me. If it weren't for the moral support of two wonderful high school teachers I would have headed for the river. You were right and don't let anyone tell you different. — ALSO STEPPED ON

Dear Also: Dozens of readers DID tell me different but my position is unchanged.

The hostility of the stepmother and the total absence of sympathy on the part of the father persuaded me that the girl didn't stand a chance under that roof—and I said so.

At times my advice makes many people angry but I'm not trying to win a popularity contest. I'm trying to help those who need it.

Dear Ann Landers: Jack has asked me to marry him but something is holding me back. He loves children and I don't want to be bothered.

The thought of having a family upsets me. My figure is great and I don't want to lose it — even temporarily. I become sick to my stomach when I think of feeding and diapering the little brats. Being stuck at home with them would be a drag.

Jack talks to strange kids on the street and can pick up any dirty, ragged little kid and love him to pieces. I'm sure he'd insist on a family.

Should I marry Jack under these conditions? And don't suggest a psychiatrist. I won't go. I just want a yes or no.—HONEST BABE

Dear Babe: It would be a dirty trick to marry Jack. And it would be an even dirtier trick to the children you might bring into the world. Stay single or find an oddball like yourself.

Parents are people —they can be right and they can be wrong. To help understand their viewpoint and to promote harmony at home, write for ANN LANDERS' booklet, "How To Live With Your Parents," enclosing with your request 20 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

News in Brief

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12-8-14t

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Johnson of Jonesboro, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. Randol Johnson and daughter, Rhonda Sue, of Chester, Ill., spent Sunday here with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. L. D. Randol. Also arriving that day were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bradley of Bismarck, N. D., who had been to Atlanta, Ga. last week and returned to visit until Wednesday with Mrs. Bradley's mother, Mrs. Randol.

Mrs. Homer Scobey of Sikeston, and nieces, Miss Louise Coffee of Memphis, Tenn.; Mrs. Mildred Sloas of New Madrid and Mrs. Wilma Morlan of Caruthersville went to St. Louis Saturday to visit with their sister and mother, Mrs. Evelyn Conner, who is a patient in the Missouri Baptist Hospital. They returned Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Phillips of Holland, Mo. visited the latter part of the week with Mrs. Phillips' sisters, Mrs. R. T. Wainman of Sikeston and Mrs. Jessie Grant of Morley. Mrs. Wainman accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Phillips home Monday for the days visit and will also visit with her niece and nephew Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moore of Caruthersville, before returning home.

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Delta Keglers

by Mary Meyer

By now, everyone should be in the usual Christmas rush. Christmas cards, presents hidden in closets, mysterious rustling of paper and wrappings late at night after the kids are asleep.

All of which has nothing to do with bowling, but this column is for women bowlers and we're all doing some or all of these things now.

Monday night, Thelma Hampton had a 212 and a 519 for high game and series on the Powder Puff League. Liberty had high team game and series with 742 and 2060.

Mary Anderson paced the Newcomers Tuesday morning with high game of 188 and high series of 481. Team #1 took high team game and series with 553 and 1489.

On the Tuesday morning Housewives, Betty Estes led the field with high game of 204 and high series of 533. This girl can fly a plane, swim, fish, golf, knit, sew beautifully, you name it, she does it and does it well. The Strikers had high team game and series with 652 and 1848.

With the Imperialettes on Tuesday night, Pearl Freeman had a 183 for high game and Peggy Godwin a 482 for high series. Crown Finance had 718 for high team game and 2023 was the three game total high series for L & A Laundry.

On the Delta Keglers, also on Tuesday night, Peggy Dickson had high game of 203 and Jean Lee a three game high series of 537. A word here about Jean Lee. Jean is one of those consistent bowlers. You'll nearly always find her total in the high 400's or 500's, 600 too, but that not so often. After all!

Ziegenhorn Insurance had both high team game and series with 824 and 2346.

On Wednesday night, with the Royal Keglers, Lil Acord had a 210 for high game and Norma Baker a 536 for high series. Alcorn had high team game of 855 and A & B Oil a 2388 for high team series.

With the Friday Bowlettes, Jena Hopwood had high game and series with a 177 and a 507. Shy's Rexall had high team game and series with a 742 and a 2213.

My thanks to all the secretaries. They all contacted me; didn't have to call anyone.



SYLVIA NICKENS

SYLVIA NICKENS, a trainee of the Practical Nurse Training Program, models the very latest in "hospital fashions" at the Nurses' party. A drawsheet plus other accessories peculiar to hospitals made up this attractive costume.

Happenstance. The head of an electronics company was being interviewed. "How do you stumble upon all these new electronic products?" asked the newsman. Pointing to a huge research building across the street, the executive smiled and replied, "See that over there? We maintain a Stumbling Department for that very purpose."—Dan Bennett

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My sports car is so small I have to pay parking tickets in Juvenile Court.—Bob McFadden

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A Russian who lives happily under the present system of government in Russia must either believe that man has no soul, or that, if he has, it is not worth developing.—Oscar Wilde

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An announcer for station KELP, El Paso, Texas, ended his commercial announcement with: "You can get all these bargains at Meyers, located midway between the downtown traffic mess and the Five Points traffic-circle bottleneck."

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Conrad and Mrs. Dorothy Brown of San Antonio, Texas arrived Friday for a visit with the ladies sisters, Mrs. Carrie Fisher, Mrs. Hazel Cagle and Mrs. James Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen and daughter, Susan, of Christopher, Ill., spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Allen. Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Duncan and children, April and Jeff, of DuQuoin, Ill., visited with Mrs. Duncan's parents, Mr. Joe Allen, who is ill, is reported to be improving.

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Oran Wins Over Scott City For Championship

ORAN -- The Eagles overcame a big obstacle here Saturday night by beating the Scott City Rams, 67-59, who was the darkhorse of the tourney. They upset two seeded teams in qualifying for the championship game. Woodland settled down to finish third by winning over College High 66-62.

ORAN (67)
SCOTT CITY (59)

Neither team could break loose in the first quarter of play both scoring 11 points. The second period proved to be the winning frame for Oran as they beat down Scott City to a seven point deficit ending first-half play.

From the third period the lapse of the game Oran held their lead, scoring one point more than Scott City 36-35, making the final score 67-59.

Oran (67)

Scoring: R. Johnson 23, Metz 17, Anderson 8, Stimely 8, Hahn 6, Roberts 3, and Bullinger 2.

Scott City (59)

Scoring: Glass 20, Sander 12, Waddlington 8, Dopp 7, McSwain 6, Miller 6.

Scores By Quarters:

	1	2	3	4	T
Oran	11	20	16	20	67
Scott City	11	13	14	21	59

WOODLAND (66)
COLLEGE HIGH (62)

The Cardinals got off to a two-point lead the first period, but led by a thin one-point the first half.

Led by sharp-shooting Hahs, who scored a sizzling 26 points, Woodland increased their lead to four going into the final frame. College High could not make up the deficit, but scored evenly with Woodland the fourth period, to give Woodland the 66-62 victory.

Woodland (66)

Scoring: Hahs 25, Seabaugh 14, Teeters 10, Crites 10, Long 6, and Stone 1.

College High (62)

Scoring: Langston 26, Heuer 12, Dodson 9, Duschell 9, and Ford 6.

Scores By Quarters:

	1	2	3	4	T
Woodland	12	20	19	15	66
College High	10	21	16	15	62



THE ORAN EAGLES are standing over the first place trophy won in their own Basketball Invitational Tournament. They won over Scott City in the championship game. This was the tenth annual tourney to be held at Oran.

Bloomfield Wins 8th Straight

POPLAR BLUFF -- Playing before the largest crowd to be in the Poplar Bluff gymnasium in recent years for a scheduled game, the Bloomfield Wildcats continue their undefeated season, rolling to their 8th straight win by slipping by the Poplar Bluff Mules 48-39 Saturday night. They got the double takes by winning the "B" game 42-34.

The story was that Bloomfield had too much offense for the tough defense of the Mules.

The Wildcats have been ranked number one in Southeast Missouri from the outset of the season and from where it stands now, they will still be number one.

Bloomfield pounced to an early lead over the Mules and led at half-time 26-14.

Hitting one of their rare cold streaks, the Wildcats twelve-point lead vanished the third period, taking six minutes to score. Poplar Bluff then tied the game with two minutes left. Going for the last shot Bloomfield held the ball, and with seconds left, Dennis Galespie scored being fouled on the play. He hit the free throw, giving Bloomfield a five point advantage going into the final frame. At this point Bloomfield hit their delay game, holding onto their lead to win 48-39.

In the "B" contest, ace Bill White led the Bloomfield attack offensively by smacking the nets for 13. Arant was the Mules leader with 13.

"B" Game
Bloomfield (42)
High Scorer: Bill White 13
Poplar Bluff (34)
High Scorer: Arant 13

Varsity Game
Bloomfield (48)

Scorers: Galespie 16, Wise 12, White 11, Gaines 7, D. Underwood 2.

Poplar Bluff (39)

Scorers: Henson 11, Dunning 10, Belknap 8, Holzman 6, Mitchell 3, and Tinsley 1.

Score By Quarters:

	1	2	3	4	T
Bloomfield	15	11	8	15	48
Poplar Bluff	9	5	15	10	39

Shooting Percentages:

	FG	FT
Bloomfield	31	79
Poplar Bluff	38	64

Sport Shavings

By
DAN WHITTLE

Warm Water Fishing Found

Warm-water fishing throughout the winter no longer seems at all remarkable to anglers who frequent Montrose Wildlife Management Area.

These fishermen spend the fall waiting for the waterfowl season to end so they will be free to fish Montrose Lake. In this respect, Montrose is no different from the Duck Creek Wildlife Management Area near Puxico, because fishing begins at both places as soon as the duck season closes. This year the duck season ended Dec. 8, so fishing began Dec. 9.

But Duck Creek has no warm water and Montrose does. The difference is in the fact that Montrose Lake is the cooling water supply for generators at the plant of the Kansas City Power and Light Co., owners of the lake. The lake and surrounding area are managed by the Conservation Commission under agreement with the firm.

The water drawn from the lake to cool the machines is returned to the lake after it has done its job. It carries with it the heat it picked up en route, and this warmth, concentrated at one end of the lake, keeps a large area free of ice all winter. The warm water also attracts fish which, of course, attract fishermen.

Opening - day anglers reported fine catches of crappie, carp and channel catfish. Bass and panfish are also among the species taken from the warm water. About 150 anglers opened the Montrose season.

If the warm water creates good fishing conditions, fishing ought to be better than ever this year. It will be the first season of use for a new generator, and three machines will create a larger area of warmer water than did the two generators in use previously.

Boats and minnows are available at the lake. No fishing fee is required except for the state fishing permit.

Duck Creek does not have warm water, but it does have excellent fishing. Many large catches are reported there each winter.

Passing Will Be Pitted Against Rushing

By MIKE RATHET

The Baltimore Colts vs. the Cleveland Browns for the National Football League championship. Johnny Unitas vs. Jimmy Brown.

The ideal test — Passing vs. Rushing.

But it's not that simple. Despite the fact that Unitas and Brown are the acknowledged leaders in their respective phases of the game each team has multiple offensive weapons and proved it in final regular seasons games.

The Browns clinched their first Eastern Division title since 1957 by crushing the New York Giants 52-20 as Frank Ryan fired five touchdown passes. Lenny Moore and Ray Berry played key roles for the Western Division champion Colts Sunday, setting records in a 45-17 romp over Washington.

Taking the three standouts from each team in those games reveals some intriguing matchups for the championship game at Cleveland, Dec. 27.

PASSING

Unitas — Passed for two touchdowns and wound up the season with 158 completions, a 51 per cent accuracy mark 2,827 yards gained and 19 TD's. He had six passes intercepted.

Ryan — Finished the season with 174 completions, a 52 per cent mark, 2,404 yards and 25 TD's. He had 19 passes stolen.

RUSHING

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Game Of Week

Sikeston Bulldogs face the Jackson Indians tonight going for their second win of the season. This game should show whether last weeks victory was a fluke or not. If it was, the game will be close for Jackson does not have a powerful team. Dexter upset them in the tournament last week.

American Football League
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
Buffalo	11	2	0	.846	376	228
Boston	10	2	1	.833	351	273
New York	5	7	1	.417	261	291
Houston	3	10	0	.231	276	340

Western Division

San Diego	8	4	1	.667	321	279
Kan. City	6	7	0	.462	342	299
Oakland	4	7	2	.364	282	330
Denver	2	10	1	.167	225	404

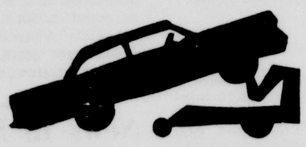
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Oran Wins Over Scott City For Championship

ORAN -- The Eagles overcame a big obstacle here Saturday night by beating the Scott City Rams, 67-59, who was the darkhorse of the tourney. They upset two seeded teams in qualifying for the championship game. Woodland settled down to finish third by winning over College High 66-62.

ORAN (67)
SCOTT CITY (59)

Neither team could break loose in the first quarter of play both scoring 11 points. The second period proved to be the winning frame for Oran as they beat down Scott City to a seven point deficit ending first-half play.

From the third period the lapse of the game Oran held their lead, scoring one point more than Scott City 36-35, making the final score 67-59.

Oran (67)

Scoring: R. Johnson 23, Metz 17, Anderson 8, Stimely 8, Hahn 6, Roberts 3, and Bullinger 2.

Scott City (59)

Scoring: Glass 20, Sander 12, Waddlington 8, Dopp 7, McSwain 6, Miller 6.

Scores By Quarters:

	1	2	3	4	T
Oran	11	20	16	20	67
Scott City	11	13	14	21	59

WOODLAND (66)
COLLEGE HIGH (62)

The Cardinals got off to a two-point lead the first period, but led by a thin one-point the first half.

Led by sharp-shooting Hahs, who scored a sizzling 26 points, Woodland increased their lead to four going into the final frame. College High could not make up the deficit, but scored evenly with Woodland the fourth period, to give Woodland the 66-62 victory.

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Scoring: Hahs 25, Seabaugh 14, Teeters 10, Crites 10, Long 6, and Stone 1.

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The story was that Bloomfield had too much offense for the tough defense of the Mules.

The Wildcats have been ranked number one in Southeast Missouri from the outset of the season and from where it stands now, they will still be number one.

Bloomfield pounced to an early lead over the Mules and led at half-time 26-14.

Hitting one of their rare cold streaks, the Wildcats twelve-point lead vanished the third period, taking six minutes to score. Poplar Bluff then tied the game with two minutes left. Going for the last shot Bloomfield held the ball, and with seconds left, Dennis Galespie scored being fouled on the play. He hit the free throw, giving Bloomfield a five point advantage going into the final frame. At this point Bloomfield hit their delay game, holding onto their lead to win 48-39.

In the "B" contest, ace Bill White led the Bloomfield attack offensively by smacking the nets for 13. Arant was the Mules leader with 13.

"B" Game
Bloomfield (42)
High Scorer: Bill White 13
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Varsity Game
Bloomfield (48)

Scorers: Galespie 16, Wise 12, White 11, Gaines 7, D. Underwood 2.

Poplar Bluff (39)

Scorers: Henson 11, Dunning 10, Belknap 8, Holzman 6, Mitchell 3, and Tinsley 1.

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Poplar Bluff	9	5	15	10	39

Shooting Percentages:

	FG	FT
Bloomfield	31	79
Poplar Bluff	38	64

Sport Shavings

By
DAN WHITTLE

Warm Water Fishing Found

Warm-water fishing throughout the winter no longer seems at all remarkable to anglers who frequent Montrose Wildlife Management Area.

These fishermen spend the fall waiting for the waterfowl season to end so they will be free to fish Montrose Lake. In this respect, Montrose is no different from the Duck Creek Wildlife Management Area near Puxico, because fishing begins at both places as soon as the duck season closes. This year the duck season ended Dec. 8, so fishing began Dec. 9.

But Duck Creek has no warm water and Montrose does. The difference is in the fact that Montrose Lake is the cooling water supply for generators at the plant of the Kansas City Power and Light Co., owners of the lake. The lake and surrounding area are managed by the Conservation Commission under agreement with the firm.

The water drawn from the lake to cool the machines is returned to the lake after it has done its job. It carries with it the heat it picked up en route, and this warmth, concentrated at one end of the lake, keeps a large area free of ice all winter. The warm water also attracts fish which, of course, attract fishermen.

Opening - day anglers reported fine catches of crappie, carp and channel catfish. Bass and panfish are also among the species taken from the warm water. About 150 anglers opened the Montrose season.

If the warm water creates good fishing conditions, fishing ought to be better than ever this year. It will be the first season of use for a new generator, and three machines will create a larger area of warmer water than did the two generators in use previously.

Boats and minnows are available at the lake. No fishing fee is required except for the state fishing permit.

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Passing Will Be Pitted Against Rushing

By MIKE RATHET

The Baltimore Colts vs. the Cleveland Browns for the National Football League championship. Johnny Unitas vs. Jimmy Brown.

The ideal test — Passing vs. Rushing.

But it's not that simple. Despite the fact that Unitas and Brown are the acknowledged leaders in their respective phases of the game each team has multiple offensive weapons and proved it in final regular seasons games.

The Browns clinched their first Eastern Division title since 1957 by crushing the New York Giants 52-20 as Frank Ryan fired five touchdown passes. Lenny Moore and Ray Berry played key roles for the Western Division champion Colts Sunday, setting records in a 45-17 romp over Washington.

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Wichita claimed the no. 1 spot after breezing past Brigham Young 81-65 Saturday night at Wichita with All America Dave Stallworth getting 26 points and 13 rebounds. Michigan was upset at Nebraska, 74-73.

Wichita and Bradley both are off to 4-0 starts this season. The Valley has won 22 of 28 games with outside teams. Bradley clipped South Dakota 100-72 at Peoria, Drake got an impressive 95-71 victory at Michigan State and North Texas won 70-54 at Denton over Arkansas State of Jonesboro.

Cincinnati spoiled Louisville's Valley debut, 67 - 57 at Cincy, and gave the Cardinals their first defeat of the season. Louisville is competing for the Valley title for the first time.

St. Louis was the only Valley loser Saturday night, 62 - 56 to Missouri at Columbia. The Bills, ranked fourth nationally, took their first defeat in four games. Billiken sophomore Bob Co came off the bench with 13 points but it wasn't enough as the smaller Tigers outhustled St. Louis with 6 - foot - 5, 230-pound Ned Monsees leading the way.

Game Of Week

Sikeston Bulldogs face the Jackson Indians tonight going for their second win of the season. This game should show whether last weeks victory was a fluke or not. If it was, the game will be close for Jackson does not have a powerful team. Dexter upset them in the tournament last week.

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	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
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Boston	10	2	1	.833	351	273
New York	5	7	1	.417	261	291
Houston	3	10	0	.231	276	340

Western Division

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Sunday's Results
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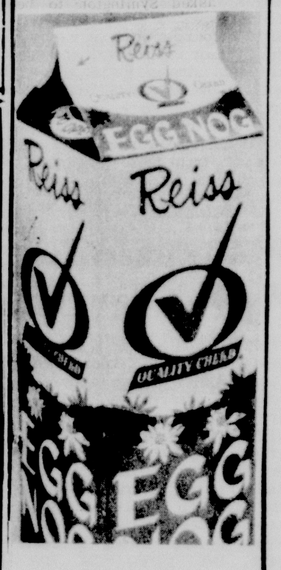

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Must You Send Christmas Card?

By Jack Harrison Pollack

More than 3 billion Christmas cards will jam the U.S. mails this month. The average family will send about 60, chosen from a whopping variety of 50,000.

Yuletide cards are designed for every relative imaginable -- and for your boss, neighbor, clergyman, doctor, milkman and newsboy. One card says: Merry Christmas From Our Dog To Your Dog.

The father of the American Christmas card industry was Louis Prang, a German immigrant lithographer who began producing holiday cards in Roxbury, Mass., in 1875. A woman employee suggested to Prang: Why not add the words "Merry Christmas" to the small floral cards? He did, and his business flourished.

Today, however, instead of being a pleasure, sending holiday cards is apt to be just one more time - consuming chore in an already overcrowded season. Because the burden is in danger of replacing the joy of card-sending, Parade interviewed leading etiquette experts to find out their answers to the most commonly asked questions about Christmas cards:

Q. Must I send a Christmas card to everybody who sends one to me?

A. No. A Christmas card doesn't need a reply. It should be a spontaneous, friendly greeting.

Q. Should I send Christmas cards to my Jewish friends?

A. Do not send Christmas cards to Orthodox Jews. It is all right to send them to the overwhelming majority of American Jews. However, it is more thoughtful not to send cards which portray religious themes such as the Nativity, Holy Family and Christ Child.

Q. Whose name is written first -- a husband's or a wife's?

A. It is courteous for the person who signs the card to write his or her name last. If a wife signs the card for herself and her husband, it should read, "Ed and Peggy" or "Ed and Peggy Smith."

Q. Whose name comes first when the names of husband and wife are printed or engraved?

A. The wife's, generally.

Q. Should "Mr. and Mrs." or "Miss" be used in signatures?

A. No. Presumably you're sending Christmas cards to friends and don't need to refer to yourself as "Mr. and Mrs."; the abbreviation should also be omitted with formal or business acquaintances.

Q. When children's names are included, what is the correct form?

A. Family signatures always begin with the father's name: e.g., "Ed, Peggy and Jeff." If you have more than one child, you may sign your card: "Ed, Peggy, Jeff, Sue, and Debbie (Smith)." Or "The Five Smiths--Ed, Peggy, Jeff, Sue and Debbie." Don't use the lazy term "and family."

Q. Is it proper to write on Christmas cards?

A. Yes -- more and more people are doing so. Even if it is only a line, a simple, handwritten message always warms up your card.

How shall I address a card if I know only the husband (or the wife)?

A. Address it to both the husband and wife.

Q. How should I address a card to a widow or divorcee?

A. Use the first and last name she prefers.

Q. Are family photographs proper to send as Christmas cards?

A. Yes, to close friends. Some will keep them as a record of your children's year-to-year development. But don't send your "family gallery" to casual acquaintances.

Q. Should Christmas cards be sent sealed or unsealed.

A. Sealed. First-class postage is especially important. Use the colorfull new five-cent Christmas tree stamp. By spending five cents on postage, you may include written messages, and your cards are delivered quicker, will be forwarded or returned to you, if undelivered, without additional postage.

Q. Should I put my full name and address on the envelope or does it look like a bid for a return card?

A. It is both proper and practical to do so. This year the Post Office Department is especially anxious for you to include your ZIP Code number in your return address on your envelopes. Printed stickers of your name and address can also be used. Your return address not only ensures that your cards arrive but enables your friends to update their address book.

Q. Should I send a Christmas card to a friend with a recent death in the family?

A. Yes. People don't shut off contacts with their friends during periods of mourning. Actually, there are special Christmas cards with messages of sympathy just for this purpose.

Q. Should a wife's name be included in her husband's business Christmas cards?

A. Absolutely not! Keep business and personal lists separate! When business Christmas cards are sent, the company should send them, not a wife who isn't a member of the firm.

Q. Is there anything useful we can do with our Christmas cards after the holidays instead of throwing them away?

A. For many years I have sent mine to the children's ward of my local Connecticut hospital. It gives the children pleasure to look at them and provides a plentiful, free supply of material for cutouts and paste-ups. So check with your local hospital before you throw yours away this year. If you follow these suggestions, a Merry Christmas should be "in the cards" for you!

IT'S UP TO YOU

By Howard E. Kershner, L.H.D.

The Communists know they cannot hope to deceive all the people outside of the Iron Curtain all the time and that if they cannot destroy capitalism, sooner or later the people of the world will come to realize that they can enjoy much more freedom and prosperity under that system than they can ever achieve by socialism or communism. Therefore, communism must detroy capitalism or perish.

That is the strategy. The next consideration is one of tactics. How shall they proceed to reach their goal? The free world is and always has been much stronger than the Communist world -- therefore, they do not resort to war. Since no free nation has ever voted for communism, they must proceed to destroy capitalism by means other than war or the votes of the people. Their only hope as Stalin said, is to enter through the back door -- to slip up, so to speak, on the blind side of the people, to deceive them by the methods of Fabian Socialism.

For instance, the Tennesse Valley Authority is socialism and to that extent it destroyed capitalism. Every government-owned utility is socialism and to that extent it destroys capitalism. The government farm program and the regulation of banking and transportation are socialism and greatly limit the operation of free market capitalism in the areas involved.

Social Security and the proposed medical program are socialism. The Federal, state and the municipal relief programs are socialism and help to destroy the basis of a free capitalistic society. The proposed federalization of education and state and Federal intervention in labor problems along with public support of striking workers are socialism and help to destroy capitalism.

All forms of government intervention in the economic activities of the people help to destroy capitalism and to promote socialism. They all, therefore, receive the approval of the Communist tacticians. Such actions lead them to believe, rightly, that it is not necessary for them to destroy capitalism but that we are proceeding to do it ourselves. In other words, as the high-ranking official in Moscow said to me: "We do not have to fight you or urge you. We shall wait until you walk voluntarily into our camp."

The Communists cannot overthrow us by force and they cannot induce our people to vote for socialism or communism as one big revolutionary change, but they gleefully watch us march steadily towards their goal. We are doing this in two ways:

First, by destroying capitalism through the Fabian route to socialism and second, by strengthening communism and socialism through appeasement and cooperation with it. Many times we have had the opportunity to have destroyed communism but we have refrained from doing so, preferring rather the program of compromise, appeasement and gradual surrender. In other words, because the people will not see and will not act, the capitalism which could complete the destruction of poverty and bless the world with a freedom and prosperity never before known and unrealizable in any other way, is now living out its last troubled days as the people who discovered, developed and profited by it hasten down the road toward the suffering and enslavement which socialism --alias communism, holds in store for them.

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When I approach a traffic light,
When driving my own car,
It's sure to be on "green" each time
I see it from afar.
But, just as I drive up to it
Behind another fellow
He manages to drive right through
But, I am caught on "yellow?" —V. A. Grant

Southeast Missouri Council, Boy Scouts Theme For Month -"To Help Others"

To Help Others is the theme for 113 Boy Scout troops in the Southeast Missouri Council, Boy Scouts of America, for December with a special emphasis on emergency preparedness training and troop Good Turn projects.

"A Scout must be prepared at any time to save life and to help injured persons," J. C. Newcomers, Bloomfield, the council Scout commissioner explained, "and this month the Scouts will be practicing first aid with guidance from members of first aid squads and fire departments."

The December theme for Cub Scout packs is Winter Festival, and there will be special Christmas or Hanukkah celebrations, Newcomer said. Many of the 87 Cub Scout packs have asked their members to make personal; voluntary gifts to the World Friendship Fund which the Boy Scouts of America maintains to help establish Scouting in newly established countries and refugee camps.

High - School - age Explorers will also select a holiday party theme and will take part in other activities. Suggested events include the analysis of a large business involving several occupational fields such as sales production, distribution, advertising, and accounting and an On Target theme designed to help each Explorer understand the importance of making decisions and to aid him in doing so, Newcomer said.

All Cub Scout packs, Boy Scout troops, and Explorer posts are concluding in December the Frontier Roundup, the national fall recruiting program, and are inducting new members and recognizing outstanding recuiters.

A woman inching through the traffic in downtown Atlanta one morning struck up a conversation with a fellow in the adjacent car. Noting that it was 9:30, she remarked, "Well, I'm glad I wasn't in that 8:30 traffic."

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TALKS USEFUL -- President Johnson bids goodbye to Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko after their meeting at the White House. Gromyko told newsmen that they had discussed disarmament and other matters and described the talks as "useful." (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Must You Send Christmas Card?

By Jack Harrison Pollack

More than 3 billion Christmas cards will jam the U.S. mails this month. The average family will send about 60, chosen from a whopping variety of 50,000.

Yuletide cards are designed for every relative imaginable -- and for your boss, neighbor, clergyman, doctor, milkman and newsboy. One card says: Merry Christmas From Our Dog To Your Dog!

The father of the American Christmas card industry was Louis Prang, a German immigrant lithographer who began producing holiday cards in Roxbury, Mass., in 1875. A woman employee suggested to Prang: Why not add the words "Merry Christmas" to the small floral cards? He did, and his business flourished.

Today, however, instead of being a pleasure, sending holiday cards is apt to be just one more time - consuming chore in an already overcrowded season. Because the burden is in danger of replacing the joy of card-sending, Parade interviewed leading etiquette experts to find out their answers to the most commonly asked questions about Christmas cards:

Q. Must I send a Christmas card to everybody who sends one to me?

A. No. A Christmas card doesn't need a reply. It should be a spontaneous, friendly greeting.

Q. Should I send Christmas cards to my Jewish friends?

A. Do not send Christmas cards to Orthodox Jews. It is all right to send them to the overwhelming majority of American Jews. However, it is more thoughtful not to send cards which portray religious themes such as the Nativity, Holy Family and Christ Child.

Q. Whose name is written first -- a husband's or a wife's?

A. It is courteous for the person who signs the card to write his or her name last. If a wife signs the card for herself and her husband, it should read, "Ed and Peggy" or "Ed and Peggy Smith."

Q. Whose name comes first when the names of husband and wife are printed or engraved?

A. The wife's, generally.

Q. Should "Mr. and Mrs." or "Miss" be used in signatures?

A. No. Presumably you're sending Christmas cards to friends and don't need to refer to yourself as "Mr. and Mrs.";

the abbreviation should also be omitted with formal or business acquaintances.

Q. When children's names are included, what is the correct form?

A. Family signatures always begin with the father's name: e.g., "Ed, Peggy and Jeff." If you have more than one child, you may sign your card: "Ed, Peggy, Jeff, Sue, and Debbie (Smith)." Or "The Five Smiths--Ed, Peggy, Jeff, Sue and Debbie." Don't use the lazy term "and family."

Q. Is it proper to write on Christmas cards?

A. Yes -- more and more people are doing so. Even if it is only a line, a simple, handwritten message always warms up your card.

How shall I address a card if I know only the husband (or the wife)?

A. Address it to both the husband and wife.

Q. How should I address a card to a widow or divorcee?

A. Use the first and last name she prefers.

Q. Are family photographs proper to send as Christmas cards?

A. Yes, to close friends. Some will keep them as a record of your children's year-to-year development. But don't send your "family gallery" to casual acquaintances.

Q. Should Christmas cards be sent sealed or unsealed.

A. Sealed. First-class postage is especially important. Use the colorfull new five-cent Christmas tree stamp. By spending five cents on postage, you may include written messages, and your cards are delivered quicker, will be forwarded or returned to you, if undelivered, without additional postage.

Q. Should I put my full name and address on the envelope or does it look like a bid for a return card?

A. It is both proper and practical to do so. This year the Post Office Department is especially anxious for you to include your ZIP Code number in your return address on your envelopes. Printed stickers of your name and address can also be used. Your return address not only ensures that your cards arrive but enables your friends to update their address book.

Q. Should I send a Christmas card to a friend with a recent death in the family?

A. Yes. People don't shut off contacts with their friends during periods of mourning. Actually, there are special Christmas cards with messages of sympathy just for this purpose.

Q. Should a wife's name be included in her husband's business Christmas cards?

A. Absolutely not! Keep business and personal lists separate! When business Christmas cards are sent, the company should send them, not a wife who isn't a member of the firm.

Q. Is there anything useful we can do with our Christmas cards after the holidays instead of throwing them away?

A. For many years I have sent mine to the children's ward of my local Connecticut hospital. It gives the children pleasure to look at them and provides a plentiful, free supply of material for cutouts and paste-ups. So check with your local hospital before you throw yours away this year. If you follow these suggestions, a Merry Christmas should be "in the cards" for you!

IT'S UP TO YOU

By Howard E. Kershner, L.H.D.

The Communists know they cannot hope to deceive all the people outside of the Iron Curtain all the time and that if they cannot destroy capitalism, sooner or later the people of the world will come to realize that they can enjoy much more freedom and prosperity under that system than they can ever achieve by socialism or communism. Therefore, communism must detroy capitalism or perish.

That is the strategy. The next consideration is one of tactics. How shall they proceed to reach their goal? The free world is and always has been much stronger than the Communist world -- therefore, they do not resort to war. Since no free nation has ever voted for communism, they must proceed to destroy capitalism by means other than war or the votes of the people. Their only hope as Stalin said, is to enter through the back door -- to slip up, so to speak, on the blind side of the people, to deceive them by the methods of Fabian Socialism.

For instance, the Tennesse Valley Authority is socialism and to that extent it destroyed capitalism. Every government-owned utility is socialism and to that extent it destroys capitalism. The government farm program and the regulation of banking and transportation are socialism and greatly limit the operation of free market capitalism in the areas involved.

Social Security and the proposed medical program are socialism. The Federal, state and the municipal relief programs are socialism and help to destroy the basis of a free capitalistic society. The proposed federalization of education and state and Federal intervention in labor problems along with public support of striking workers are socialism and help to destroy capitalism.

All forms of government intervention in the economic activities of the people help to destroy capitalism and to promote socialism. They all, therefore, receive the approval of the Communist tacticians. Such actions lead them to believe, rightly, that it is not necessary for them to destroy capitalism but that we are proceeding to do it ourselves. In other words, as the high-ranking official in Moscow said to me: "We do not have to fight you or urge you. We shall wait until you walk voluntarily into our camp."

The Communists cannot overthrow us by force and they cannot induce our people to vote for socialism or communism as one big revolutionary change, but they gleefully watch us march steadily towards their goal. We are doing this in two ways:

First, by destroying capitalism through the Faolan route to socialism and second, by strengthening communism and socialism through appeasement and cooperation with it. Many times we have had the opportunity to have destroyed communism but we have refrained from doing so, preferring rather the program of compromise, appeasement and gradual surrender. In other words, because the people will not see and will not act, the capitalism which could complete the destruction of poverty and bless the world with a freedom and prosperity never before known and unrealizable in any other way, is now living out its last troubled days as the people who discovered, developed and profited by it hasten down the road toward the suffering and enslavement which socialism --alias communism, holds in store for them

Howard E. Kershner

IT NEVER FAILS

When I approach a traffic light,
When driving my own car,
It's sure to be on "green" each time
I see it from afar.
But, just as I drive up to it
Behind another fellow
He manages to drive right through
But, I am caught on "yellow!" —V. A. Grant

Southeast Missouri Council, Boy Scouts Theme For Month -"To Help Others"

To Help Others is the theme for 113 Boy Scout troops in the Southeast Missouri Council, Boy Scouts of America, for December with a special emphasis on emergency preparedness training and troop Good Turn projects.

"A Scout must be prepared at any time to save life and to help injured persons," J. C. Newcomers, Bloomfield, the council Scout commissioner explained, "and this month the Scouts will be practicing first aid with guidance from members of first aid squads and fire departments."

The December theme for Cub Scout packs is Winter Festival, and there will be special Christmas or Hanukkah celebrations, Newcomer said. Many of the 87 Cub Scout packs have asked their members to make personal; voluntary gifts to the World Friendship Fund which the Boy Scouts of America maintains to help establish Scouting in newly established countries and refugee camps:

High - School - age Explorers will also select a holiday party theme and will take part in other activities. Suggested events include the analysis of a large business involving several occupational fields such as sales production, distribution, advertising, and accounting and an On Target theme designed to help each Explorer understand the importance of making decisions and to aid him in doing so, Newcomer said.

All Cub Scout packs, Boy Scout troops, and Explorer posts are concluding in December the Frontier Roundup, the national fall recruiting program, and are inducting new members and recognizing outstanding recruiters.

A woman inching through the traffic in downtown Atlanta one morning struck up a conversation with a fellow in the adjacent car. Noting that it was 9:30, she remarked, "Well, I'm glad I wasn't in that 8:30 traffic."

"I hate to tell you this, lady," the man replied, "but this is the 8:30 traffic." —Norman Shavin

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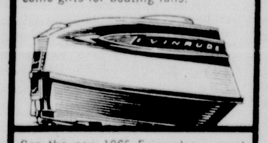
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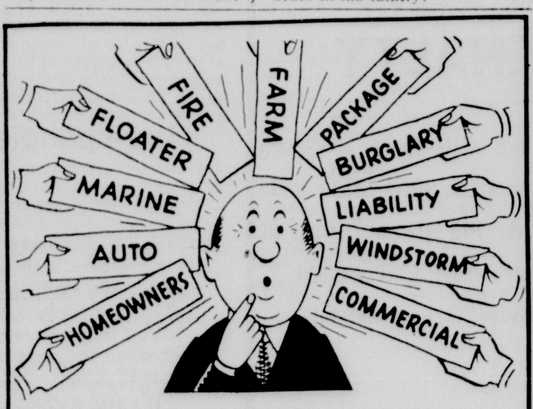
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The Christmas Story

Now it came to pass in those days, there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be enrolled. This was the first enrollment made when Quirinius was governor of Syria. And all went to enroll themselves, every one to his own city. And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, to the city of David, which is called Bethlehem, because she who was betrothed to him being great with child. And it came to pass, while they were there, the days were fulfilled that she should be delivered. And she brought forth her firstborn son; and she wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were shepherds in the same country abiding in the field, and keeping watch by night over their flock. And an angel of the Lord stood by them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them, Be not afraid; for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which will be to all people; for there is born to you this day in the city of David, a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. And this is the sign unto you: Ye shall find a babe wrapped in swaddling clothes and lying in a manger. And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, Glory to God in the highest, And on earth peace among men in whom he is well pleased.

And it came to pass, when the angels went away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing that is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us. And they came with haste, and found both Mary and Joseph, and the babe lying in the manger. And when they saw it, they made known concerning the saying which was spoken to them about this child. And all that heard it wondered at the things which were spoken unto them by the shepherds. But Mary kept all these sayings, pondering them in her heart. And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things that had been heard and seen, even as it was spoken unto them.

And when eight days were fulfilled for circumcising him, his name was called Jesus, which was so called by the angel before he was conceived in the womb.

And when the days of their purification according to the law of Moses were fulfilled, they brought him up to Jerusalem, to present him to the Lord and to offer a sacrifice according to that which is said in the law of the Lord, a pair of turtledoves, of two young pigeons. And behold, there was a man in Jerusalem, whose name was Simeon; and this man was righteous and devout, looking for the consolation in Israel: and the Holy Spirit was upon him. And it had been revealed unto him by the Holy Spirit, that he should not see death before he had seen the Lord's Christ. And he came into the Spirit into the temple; and when the parents brought in the child Jesus, that they might do concerning him after the custom of the law, then he received him unto his arms, and blessed God, and said, Now lettest thou thy servant depart, Lord, according to thy word, in peace; For mine eyes have seen thy salvation, which thou hast prepared before the fact of all the peoples; A light for revelation to the Gentiles, And the Glory of thy people Israel.

And his father and his mother were marveling at the things which were spoken concerning him; and Simeon blessed them, and said unto Mary his mother, Behold, this child is set for the falling and rising of many in Israel; and for a sign which is spoken against; yea and a sword shall pierce through thine own soul; that thoughts of our many hearts may be revealed. And there was one Anna, a prophetess, the daughter of Phanuel, of the tribe of Asher, who departed not from the temple, worshipping with fastings and supplications night and day. And coming up at that very hour she gave thanks unto God, and spake of him to all them that they were looking for the redemption of Jerusalem. And when they had accomplished all things that were according to the law of the Lord, they returned into Galilee, to their own city Nazareth.

And the child grew, and waxed strong, filled with wisdom: and the grace of God was upon him.

And his parents went every year to Jerusalem at the feast of the passover. And when he was twelve years old, they went up after the custom of the feast; and when they had fulfilled the days, as they were returning, the boy Jesus tarried behind in Jerusalem; and his parents knew it not; but supposing him to be in the company, and they went a day's journey; and they sought for him their kinfolk and acquaintance; and when they found him not they returned to Jerusalem, seeking him. And it came to pass, after three days they found him in the temple sitting in the midst of the teachers, both hearing them, and asking them questions: and all that heard him were amazed at his understanding and his answers.

And when they saw him, they were astonished; and his mother said unto him, Son, why has thou dealt with us? behold thy father and I sought thee sorrowing. And he said unto them, How is it that ye sought me? know ye not that I must be in my Father's house? And they understood not saying which he spake unto them. And he went down with them, and came to Nazareth; and he was subject unto them: and his mother kept all these sayings in her heart.

And Jesus advanced in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and men.



BANK ROBBED -- A law enforcement officer dusts a door of the May Avenue Bank in Oklahoma City, Okla., after a lone gunman held up the bank and took $27,600. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Pemiscot County News

COTTON HARVESTING LOSS HIGH

A survey by experiment stations of the delta and others interested showed that only 89 per cent of the cotton produced got into the cotton trailers last year.

In 1964 a belt wide program to check harvesting efficiency indicate the 11 per cent field loss is conservative. In Pemiscot County harvesting efficiency showed field losses of 4 to 20 per cent. Field losses in all states ran from 4 to 30 per cent with 16 to 20 per cent being common.

The fact that some farmers were able to cut their field losses of cotton to four or five per cent is proof that it can be done.

Using average yields and doing an efficient job of harvesting could mean 46 more pounds of lint harvested per acre. At 30 cents per pound this improved efficiency could give the grower about $12 more per acre.

A concerted beltwide effort will be made in 1965 by the Cooperative Extension Service, mechanical harvestor manufacturers and local dealers with the support from the National Cotton Council and industry organizations to implement the picker efficiency program.

The closely coordinated program will include wide distribution of printed materials, visual aids, organizational meetings, training courses and etc. Emphasis will center on four main areas — plant and field conditions, machine preparation, farm owner and machine operation in the field.

Remember, when you put up beds this winter or early next spring you'll be affecting harvest next fall. Lack of uniformity and accuracy of row width was one of the common causes of low picker efficiency.

Turn rows need to be twice the length of the picker to eliminate having to hand pick the row ends.

GOP Factions May Be Given Voice in Policies

WASHINGTON (AP) — Squabbling Republican factions seem likely to be offered a policy-making voice in a unity move aimed at quieting the party moderates' protests against national Chairman Dean Burch.

Sen. Barry Goldwater said after meeting in New York Wednesday with former President Dwight D. Eisenhower and former Vice President Richard M. Nixon that they agree party leadership problems can best be solved by the National Committee.

This was interpreted in Washington by some influential Republicans as indicating that the defeated GOP presidential nominee hopes to save Burch's job by having the National Committee set up an all-faction leadership council to voice party policies.

Burch, who represents Goldwater's conservative views, thus would be subordinated as a spokesman for the party.

Committee members confirmed reports that Goldwater and Rep. William E. Miller, the GOP vice-presidential nominee have kept the phone lines hot trying to drum up support for Burch at the forthcoming Jan. 22-23 showdown meeting of the committee in Chicago.

Miller, who preceded Burch as national chairman, denied he was making any canvass of the committee.

"I'm just practicing law," he said.

Republican governors already have proposed setting up a policy council. Such a move has been approved by House minority leader Charles A. Halleck of Indiana. Senate Republican leader Everett M. Dirksen of Illinois has indicated a willingness to consider the proposal.

Although some of the governors have called for the replacement of Burch, they thus far have been unable to find a candidate willing to have his name put up as a rival.

Lop-Sided Majorities Won by State Senate Candidates

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — Fifteen incumbents and two new members of the Missouri State Senate piled up one-sided majorities in the general election, the official canvass by the Secretary of State's office showed today.

Five incumbents had no opposition—veteran Sen. Michael Kinney, D-St. Louis, in the 5th district; Sen. Nelson B. Tinnin, D - Hornersville, in the 23rd; Sen. J. F. Patterson, D - Caruthersville, in the 25th; Sen. Noel Cox, R-Ozark, in the 29th, and Sen. Thomas G. Woolsey, R-Versailles, in the 33rd.

The two new members are former Rep. Paul M. Berra, D-St. Louis, in the 3rd, and former Rep. A. Clifford Jones, R-St. Louis County, in the 7th. Berra succeeds the late Sen. William E. Hilsman, D-St. Louis, and Jones takes over the seat formerly held by Sen. William Macon, R-St. Louis County.

In the 3rd District, Berra beat Lawrence Presley, R, 31,525 to 11,699.

In the 7th, Jones defeated George A. Craft, D, 46,545 to 26,905.

Here are the results in the other districts, except the 13th where the tally was incomplete. All confirmed the unofficial returns compiled election night by the Associated Press.

1st District — Sen. Edgar J. Keating, D-Kansas City, 40,700, Walter W. Salisbury, R-Kansas City, 10,666.

11th — Sen. Jasper M. Brancato, D - Kansas City, 32,704, John Paul Jones, R - Kansas City, 14,221.

15th District — Sen. John J. Johnson, D - St. Louis County, 42,255, Harold E. Scheppner, R-St. Louis County, 25,483.

17th District — Sen. William B. Waters, D - Liberty, 34,372, Paul S. Giovagnoli, R - North Kansas City, 16,381.

19th District—Sen. A. Basey Vanlandingham, D - Columbia, 38,813, Kenneth J. Haviland, R-St. Catherine, 15,599.

21st District—Sen. Omer H. Avery, D-Troy, 36,259, Mrs. J. C. Parrish, R - Vandalia, 14,851.

27th District—Sen. Albert M. Spradling, D - Cape Girardeau, 32,407, Ruben R. Schade, R-Cape Girardeau, 13,644.

31st District — Sen. William J. Cason, D-Clinton, 29,559, C. Vern Peak, R-Rich Hill, 16,735.

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Merry Christmas, Daughter Dear, I wish that you and your family were here, to add to the laughter and add to the cheer. To help with the baking, so busy we'd be, and in our spare time, we could decorate the tree.

We could wrap all the presents, with paper so bright,

And I would remember, one more Christmas night.

The night long ago, when you were just six, we had all the presents, we had everything fixed,

And there came a loud laughter, a loud oh, ho, ho, ho,

And Santa came in, from out in the snow.

Your eyes lit up like a candle so bright, to see Santa Claus that glorious night. I'll never forget it as long as I live, the little blonde girl, with blue eyes, so big, To have you with us, today, Daughter Dear, to add to the laughter and Christmas cheer, would be like that Christmas, so long ago, When Santa Claus came, from out in the snow.

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Sincerely,
Frank L. Goffio

Credit Administration Is Expecting More Changes

MIAMI BEACH — The prospect of a continuing and perhaps even an accelerated period of change within agriculture was predicted here Monday by a national farm credit official — Glenn G. Browne, Deputy Governor and Director of Land Bank Service for the Farm Credit Administration.

Here to address a conference of directors of the nation's 37 Farm Credit Banks, through which farmers and their cooperative borrow $6 billion a year, Browne told the directors: "While we have seen many changes within agriculture in the recent past, our greatest changes may still lie ahead."

Current conditions, he said, have wide implications for lenders, such as the land banks, and he urged credit officials to "be alert to the opportunities for constructive change."

In recognition of this, Browne stated that he and his staff are undertaking a comprehensive review of the over-all operations of the Federal Land Bank System. At his post Browne heads that part of FCA which supervises, in the public interest, 12 Federal land banks and their affiliated land bank associations through which farmers have over $3.5 billion in long-term loans outstanding.

Browne said: "We intend to give critical attention to any area wherein the passage of time may now place upon us a requirement for updating and perhaps redirecting our efforts." In so doing, we will give full consideration to the ideas and suggestions of the farmers who own and control the System. Browne said, "Some of our more important changes and improvements have come not as ideas of the so-called experts, but as suggestions or requests for new loan services on the part of our member-borrowers."

Out of all this, Browne feels likely will come "an increased ability of the Land Bank System to meet the specific needs of a more highly - specialized American farmer who has never been afraid of change but rather has met it with confidence and turned it to his advantage."

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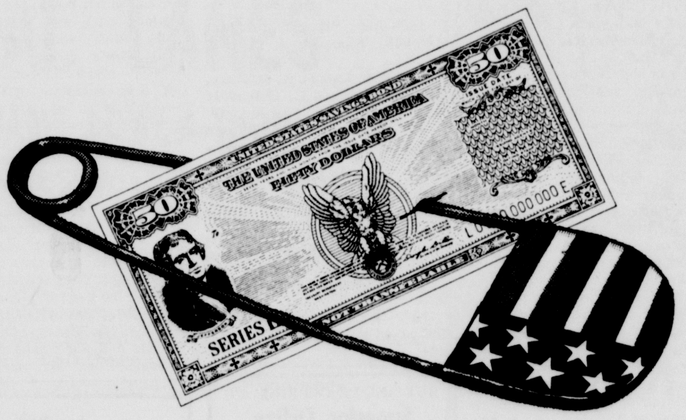
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The Christmas Story

Now it came to pass in those days, there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be enrolled. This was the first enrollment made when Quirinius was governor of Syria. And all went to enroll themselves, every one to his own city. And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, to the city of David, which is called Bethlehem, because she who was betrothed to him being great with child. And it came to pass, while they were there, the days were fulfilled that she should be delivered. And she brought forth her firstborn son; and she wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were shepherds in the same country abiding in the field, and keeping watch by night over their flock. And an angel of the Lord stood by them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them, Be not afraid; for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which will be to all people; for there is born to you this day in the city of David, a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. And this is the sign unto you: Ye shall find a babe wrapped in swaddling clothes and lying in a manger. And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, Glory to God in the highest, And on earth peace among men in whom he is well pleased.

And it came to pass, when the angels went away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing that is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us. And they came with haste, and found both Mary and Joseph, and the babe lying in the manger. And when they saw it, they made known concerning the saying which was spoken to them about this child. And all that heard it wondered at the things which were spoken unto them by the shepherds. But Mary kept all these sayings, pondering them in her heart. And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things that had been heard and seen, even as it was spoken unto them.

And when eight days were fulfilled for circumcising him, his name was called Jesus, which was so called by the angel before he was conceived in the womb.

And when the days of their purification according to the law of Moses were fulfilled, they brought him up to Jerusalem, to present him to the Lord and to offer a sacrifice according to that which is said in the law of the Lord, a pair of turtledoves, of two young pigeons. And behold, there was a man in Jerusalem, whose name was Simeon; and this man was righteous and devout, looking for the consolation in Israel: and the Holy Spirit was upon him. And it had been revealed unto him by the Holy Spirit, that he should not see death before he had seen the Lord's Christ. And he came into the Spirit into the temple; and when the parents brought in the child Jesus, that they might do concerning him after the custom of the law, then he received him unto his arms, and blessed God, and said, Now lettest thou thy servant depart, Lord, according to thy word, in peace; For mine eyes have seen thy salvation, which thou hast prepared before the fact of all the peoples; A light for revelation to the Gentiles, And the Glory of thy people Israel.

And his father and his mother were marveling at the things which were spoken concerning him; and Simeon blessed them, and said unto Mary his mother, Behold, this child is set for the falling and rising of many in Israel; and for a sign which is spoken against; yea and a sword shall pierce through thine own soul; that thoughts of our many hearts may be revealed. And there was one Anna, a prophetess, the daughter of Phanuel, of the tribe of Asher, who departed not from the temple, worshipping with fastings and supplications night and day. And coming up at that very hour she gave thanks unto God, and spake of him to all them that they were looking for the redemption of Jerusalem. And when they had accomplished all things that were according to the law of the Lord, they returned into Galilee, to their own city Nazareth.

And the child grew, and waxed strong, filled with wisdom: and the grace of God was upon him.

And his parents went every year to Jerusalem at the feast of the passover. And when he was twelve years old, they went up after the custom of the feast; and when they had fulfilled the days, as they were returning, the boy Jesus tarried behind in Jerusalem; and his parents knew it not; but supposing him to be in the company, and they went a day's journey; and they sought for him their kinfolk and acquaintance; and when they found him not they returned to Jerusalem, seeking him. And it came to pass, after three days they found him in the temple sitting in the midst of the teachers, both hearing them, and asking them questions: and all that heard him were amazed at his understanding and his answers.

And when they saw him, they were astonished; and his mother said unto him, Son, why has thou dealt with us? behold thy father and I sought thee sorrowing. And he said unto them, How is it that ye sought me? know ye not that I must be in my Father's house? And they understood not saying which he spake unto them. And he went down with them, and came to Nazareth; and he was subject unto them: and his mother kept all these sayings in her heart.

And Jesus advanced in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and men.



BANK ROBBED -- A law enforcement officer dusts a door of the May Avenue Bank in Oklahoma City, Okla., after a lone gunman held up the bank and took $27,600. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Pemiscot County News

COTTON HARVESTING LOSS HIGH

A survey by experiment stations of the delta and others interested showed that only 89 per cent of the cotton produced got into the cotton trailers last year.

In 1964 a belt wide program to check harvesting efficiency indicate the 11 per cent field loss is conservative. In Pemiscot County harvesting efficiency showed field losses of 4 to 20 per cent. Field losses in all states ran from 4 to 30 per cent with 16 to 20 per cent being common.

The fact that some farmers were able to cut their field losses of cotton to four or five per cent is proof that it can be done.

Using average yields and doing an efficient job of harvesting could mean 46 more pounds of lint harvested per acre. At 30 cents per pound this improved efficiency could give the grower about $12 more per acre.

A concerted beltwide effort will be made in 1965 by the Cooperative Extension Service, mechanical harvestor manufacturers and local dealers with the support from the National Cotton Council and industry organizations to implement the picker efficiency program.

The closely coordinated program will include wide distribution of printed materials, visual aids, organizational meetings, training courses and etc. Emphasis will center on four main areas — plant and field conditions, machine preparation, farm owner and machine operation in the field.

Remember, when you put up beds this winter or early next spring you'll be affecting harvest next fall. Lack of uniformity and accuracy of row width was one of the common causes of low picker efficiency.

Turn rows need to be twice the length of the picker to eliminate having to hand pick the row ends.

GOP Factions May Be Given Voice in Policies

WASHINGTON (AP) — Squabbling Republican factions seem likely to be offered a policy-making voice in a unity move aimed at quieting the party moderates' protests against national Chairman Dean Burch.

Sen. Barry Goldwater said after meeting in New York Wednesday with former President Dwight D. Eisenhower and former Vice President Richard M. Nixon that they agree party leadership problems can best be solved by the National Committee.

This was interpreted in Washington by some influential Republicans as indicating that the defeated GOP presidential nominee hopes to save Burch's job by having the National Committee set up an all-faction leadership council to voice party policies.

Burch, who represents Goldwater's conservative views, thus would be subordinated as a spokesman for the party.

Committee members confirmed reports that Goldwater and Rep. William E. Miller, the GOP vice-presidential nominee have kept the phone lines hot trying to drum up support for Burch at the forthcoming Jan. 22-23 showdown meeting of the committee in Chicago.

Miller, who preceded Burch as national chairman, denied he was making any canvass of the committee.

"I'm just practicing law," he said.

Republican governors already have proposed setting up a policy council. Such a move has been approved by House minority leader Charles A. Halleck of Indiana. Senate Republican leader Everett M. Dirksen of Illinois has indicated a willingness to consider the proposal.

Although some of the governors have called for the replacement of Burch, they thus far have been unable to find a candidate willing to have his name put up as a rival.

Lop-Sided Majorities Won by State Senate Candidates

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — Fifteen incumbents and two new members of the Missouri State Senate piled up one-sided majorities in the general election, the official canvass by the Secretary of State's office showed today.

Five incumbents had no opposition—veteran Sen. Michael Kinney, D-St. Louis, in the 5th district; Sen. Nelson B. Tinnin, D - Hornersville, in the 23rd; Sen. J. F. Patterson, D - Caruthersville, in the 25th; Sen. Noel Cox, R-Ozark, in the 29th, and Sen. Thomas G. Woolsey, R-Versailles, in the 33rd.

The two new members are former Rep. Paul M. Berra, D-St. Louis, in the 3rd, and former Rep. A. Clifford Jones, R-St. Louis County, in the 7th. Berra succeeds the late Sen. William E. Hilsman, D-St. Louis, and Jones takes over the seat formerly held by Sen. William Macon, R-St. Louis County.

In the 3rd District, Berra beat Lawrence Presley, R, 31,525 to 11,699.

In the 7th, Jones defeated George A. Craft, D, 46,545 to 26,905.

Here are the results in the other districts, except the 13th where the tally was incomplete. All confirmed the unofficial returns compiled election night by the Associated Press.

1st District — Sen. Edgar J. Keating, D-Kansas City, 40,700, Walter W. Salisbury, R-Kansas City, 10,666.

11th — Sen. Jasper M. Brancato, D - Kansas City, 32,704, John Paul Jones, R - Kansas City, 14,221.

15th District — Sen. John J. Johnson, D - St. Louis County, 42,255, Harold E. Scheppner, R-St. Louis County, 25,483.

17th District — Sen. William B. Waters, D - Liberty, 34,372, Paul S. Giovagnoli, R - North Kansas City, 16,381.

19th District—Sen. A. Basey Vanlandingham, D - Columbia, 38,813, Kenneth J. Haviland, R-St. Catherine, 15,599.

21st District—Sen. Omer H. Avery, D-Troy, 36,259, Mrs. J. C. Parrish, R - Vandalia, 14,851.

27th District—Sen. Albert M. Spradling, D - Cape Girardeau, 32,407, Ruben R. Schade, R-Cape Girardeau, 13,644.

31st District — Sen. William J. Cason, D-Clinton, 29,559, C. Vern Peak, R-Rich Hill, 16,735.

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Merry Christmas, Daughter Dear, I wish that you and your family were here, to add to the laughter and add to the cheer. To help with the baking, so busy we'd be, and in our spare time, we could decorate the tree.

We could wrap all the presents, with paper so bright,
And I would remember, one more Christmas night.

The night long ago, when you were just six, we had all the presents, we had everything fixed,

And there came a loud laughter, a loud oh, ho, ho, ho,
And Santa came in, from out in the snow.

Your eyes lit up like a candle so bright, to see Santa Claus that glorious night. I'll never forget it as long as I live, the little blonde girl, with blue eyes, so big, To have you with us, today, Daughter Dear, to add to the laughter and Christmas cheer, would be like that Christmas, so long ago, When Santa Claus came, from out in the snow.

Mrs. Norma Jean Klekamp
Huntsville, Ala.

Dear Editor:

We wish we could thank personally all of the editors of the nation's press who have carried news of CARE's work so consistently for the past 18 years. As the holidays approach, we want to express our deep appreciation for this cooperation.

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At this time, our public appeal centers on the CARE Food Crusade, which delivers dollar packages of U. S. farm abundance. If you can remind your readers of the current campaign, its success will be greatly aided. A suggested editorial is enclosed.

In its endeavors, CARE represents the American people across the world. From all of us at CARE who are proud to be agents of American goodwill, and on behalf of those who benefit, our best wishes to you and your staff for a joyous Holiday season.

Sincerely,
Frank L. Goffio

Credit Administration Is Expecting More Changes

MIAMI BEACH — The prospect of a continuing and perhaps even an accelerated period of change within agriculture was predicted here Monday by a national farm credit official — Glenn G. Browne, Deputy Governor and Director of Land Bank Service for the Farm Credit Administration.

Here to address a conference of directors of the nation's 37 Farm Credit Banks, through which farmers and their cooperative borrow $6 billion a year, Browne told the directors: "While we have seen many changes within agriculture in the recent past, our greatest changes may still lie ahead."

Current conditions, he said, have wide implications for lenders, such as the land banks, and he urged credit officials to "be alert to the opportunities for constructive change."

In recognition of this, Browne stated that he and his staff are undertaking a comprehensive review of the over-all operations of the Federal Land Bank System. At his post Browne heads that part of FCA which supervises, in the public interest, 12 Federal land banks and their affiliated land bank associations through which farmers have over $3.5 billion in long-term loans outstanding.

Browne said: "We intend to give critical attention to any area wherein the passage of time may now place upon us a requirement for updating and perhaps redirecting our efforts." In so doing, we will give full consideration to the ideas and suggestions of the farmers who own and control the System. Browne said, "Some of our more important changes and improvements have come not as ideas of the so-called experts, but as suggestions or requests for new loan services on the part of our member-borrowers."

Out of all this, Browne feels likely will come "an increased ability of the Land Bank System to meet the specific needs of a more highly-specialized American farmer who has never been afraid of change but rather has met it with confidence and turned it to his advantage."

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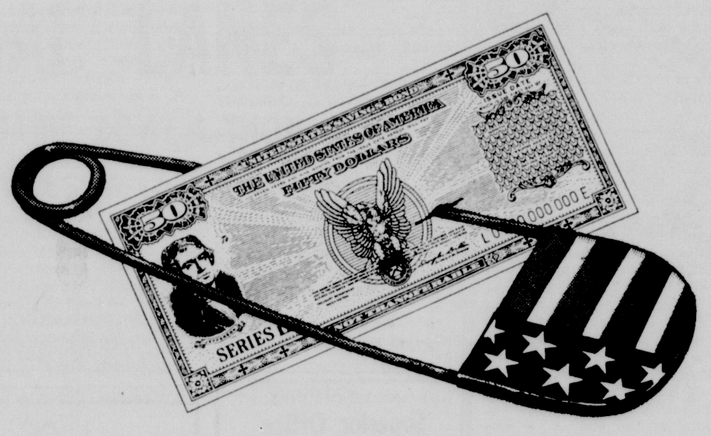
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HUNDREDS VISITED the open house Sunday afternoon of the new Motor Bank of the Bank of Sikeston, located on the corners of South Main and Greer streets. Shown are several registering at the desk of Mrs. Ural Coppage, Mr. and Mrs. Jos A. Leslie and Mrs. Madge Clodfelter. In the background are Harry Dover and J. Burch Moll. (Standard Photo)

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A resolution declaring the necessity for the construction of hot mix asphaltic pavement on soil cement base on Petroleum Street from Kentucky Rd. to Indiana Street and Indiana Street from Missouri Avenue to Petroleum Street in the City of Sikeston, Missouri; stating the nature of the improvement; the estimated cost and providing that payment for all of the improvement shall be made by special tax bills levied and assessed against the abutting property. Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Sikeston, State of Missouri, as follows: Section 1: That the Council of the City of Sikeston, Missouri, deems and declares the construction of said Street necessary to the welfare and improvement of the City of Sikeston. Section 2: That the nature and scope of the improvement shall consist of furnishing all cost, including labor, materials and transportation necessary for the complete construction of the improvement. Section 3: That the estimated cost of the improvement is $2.50 per lineal foot of abutting property, to be charged against the lots and tracts of land abutting the improvement. Section 4: That payment for all of the improvement shall be made by special tax bills levied and assessed against the abutting property in the manner specified by the statutes of the State of Missouri and the ordinances of the City of Sikeston, Missouri, because in the opinion of the City Council the General Revenue fund of the City of Sikeston is not in a condition to warrant an expenditure therefrom to pay for the improvement. Section 5: That any work performed on construction of the improvement shall be in compliance with the provisions of the prevailing wage laws of the State of Missouri, such prevailing wage rates having been established by the Industrial Commission of Missouri. Section 6: That the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to furnish a copy of this Resolution to a daily newspaper of general circulation in the City of Sikeston, so that it shall be published for seven consecutive insertions. Read the first, second and third times and passed and approved this 7th day of December, 1964. Approved: Harry E. Dudley, Mayor; Attest: John W. Vaughn, City Clerk.
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Circuit Court for the County of Scott, State of Missouri.
Harold D. Ross, Plaintiff vs. Carla Jean Ross, Defendant. Number 3679.
ORDER OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE

The State of Missouri to defendant Carla Jean Ross.

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court for the County of Scott, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is an Action for Divorce.

The names of all the parties to said suit are stated above in the caption hereof and the names and address of the attorneys for plaintiff are Dempster & Edwards, Attorneys at Law, Sikeston, Missouri.

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within 45 days after the 23rd day of November 1964, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

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CRENSHAW REAL ESTATE
GR 1-4945

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GR 1-1192 -- GR 1-5613
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12-12-2t

FOR SALE -- New 3 bedroom house. Corner lot, hardwood floors, built-in range, walk-in closets, forced air heat. Phone GR 1-5987.
11-27-tf

7 - SITUATIONS WANTED

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12-9-18t

10 - WANTED - MISC.

WANTED -- Good used furniture and appliances. Hezzie Furniture Mart. Phone GR 1-5617.
11-20-tf

11 - HELP WANTED FEMALE

WANTED --Typist and Stenographer (shorthand necessary). Write Division of Employment Security, 202 South Kingshighway, Sikeston.
11-5-tf

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12-10-6t

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12-10-26t

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12-14-6t

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12-8-6t

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Polled Herefords. Cattle can be seen on our farm at Pinhook, Mo. Large selection to choose from.
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FOR SALE -- 2 miniature, male poodle puppies. AKC registered. $70 will hold for Christmas. ED 5-5662. Cape Girardeau.
12-9-6t

21 - AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE -- 1953 Chevrolet pickup 3/4 ton, 4 speed transmission. Call GR 1-4175.
12-5-8t

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6:00 Jonathan Winters - c
9:00 Alfred Hitchcock
10:00 News Picture
10:15 Tonight Show - c

DAILY (Thursday thru Wednesday)
7:00 Today Show
9:00 Romper Room
9:30 What's This Song - c
9:55 NBC News
10:00 Concentration
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11:30 Truth or Consequences - c
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12:15 Pastor Speaks
12:30 Let's Make a Deal - c
12:55 NBC News
1:00 Loretta Young
1:30 The Doctors
2:00 Another World
2:30 You Don't Say - c
3:00 Match Game
3:25 NBC Afternoon Report
3:30 Love That Bob
4:00 Popeye
4:30 M.T.W.Th. Rifleman
4:30 Fri. Dance Party to 5:30
5:00 M.W. Car 54
5:00 T. Th. Dobie Gillis
5:30 Huntley-Brinkley
6:00 News
6:10 Weather
6:20 Sports

CHANNEL WSIL-TV THREE

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14
6:00 Cactus Pete
6:20 Deputy Dawg
6:25 Weather
6:30 Voyage To The Bottom of the sea
7:30 No Time For Sergeants
8:00 Wendy & Me
8:30 Bing Crosby
9:00 Ben Casey
10:00 News & Weather
10:30 Les Crane Show
12:00 News & Sign Off

CHANNEL KFVS-TV TWELVE

MONDAY DECEMBER 14
6 30 TO TELL THE TRUTH CBS
7 00 I'VE GOT A SECRET CBS
7 30 THE ANDY GRIFFITH SHOW CBS
8 00 THE LUCY SHOW CBS
8 30 MANY HAPPY RETURNS CBS
9 00 SLATTERY'S PEOPLE CBS
10 00 CHANNEL 12 REPORTS
10 15 THE SPORTS FINAL
10 20 THE LATE WEATHER
10 30 CHANNEL 12 THEATRE (DUEL ON THE MISSISSIPPI - LEX BARKER & PATRICIA MEDINA)
11 50 LATE NEWS HIGHLIGHTS

TUESDAY DECEMBER 15
6 30 SUNRISE SEMESTER CBS
7 00 CH. 12 BREAKFAST SHOW
8 00 CAPTAIN KANGAROO CBS
9 00 MORNING NEWS CBS
9 30 I LOVE LUCY CBS
10 00 ANDY OF MAYBERRY CBS
10 30 THE REAL MC COYS CBS
11 00 LOVE OF LIFE CBS
11 25 MIDDAY NEWS CBS
11 30 SEARCH FOR TOMORROW CBS
11 45 THE GUIDING LIGHT CBS
12 00 NOONDAY NEWS
12 15 THE FARM PICTURE
12 20 WATCHING THE WEATHER
12 30 AS THE WORLD TURNS CBS
1 00 PASSWORD CBS
1 30 HOUSE PARTY CBS
2 00 TO TELL THE TRUTH CBS
2 25 DOUGLAS EDWARDS NEWS CBS
2 30 THE EDGE OF NIGHT CBS
3 00 THE SECRET STORM CBS
3 30 THE JACK BENNY SHOW CBS
4 00 LEAVE IT TO BEAVER
4 30 ROCKY & HIS FRIENDS
4 45 CARTOON STORYBOOK
5 00 WOODY WOODPECKER SHOW
5 30 THE REGIONAL NEWS
5 45 THE SCOREBOARD
5 50 WATCHING THE WEATHER
6 00 CBS EVENING NEWS CBS

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Looking Back Over The Years

55 YEARS AGO
December 12, 1909

Scott Country ranks ninth in the value of surplus products for the year 1908. The value was $5,698,604. This leads the four surrounding counties by over two million. That is a fine showing and the chances are we will do better this year.

45 YEARS AGO
December 14, 1919

Uncle Joe Randol butchered his hogs last week and the Standard family can testify that the mess of spare ribs that he sent in were all right.

Charles Allen, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Cook, found a bottle of iodine Wednesday afternoon and thinking it was Castoria, proceeded to take a generous dose. Evidently the taste was not to his liking and when he began spitting, attracted attention. A doctor was called, who gave instructions for home remedies to be used until he could get there. It is thought that "Cookie" swallowed very little of the medicine, as he was not very sick at anytime, but it gave everyone, including himself, a scare.

Miss Irma Wilson came Sunday afternoon from Columbia to spend the holidays. Miss Irma is a student this year at the State University.

Sikeston High School defeated the Malden School in the debate at the high school Friday evening. Sikeston had the negative and Malden the affirmative side of the question, "Resolved that the United States should own and control the Merchant Marine." Sikeston was represented by Paul Denman and Dallas Beauchamp and Malden by Miss Jessie Tyler and Carl Bagby.

35 YEARS AGO
December 14, 1929

Mrs. Glen Matthews of this city is reported to have contracted what is technically known as tularaemia and popularly as "rabbit sickness." Symptoms of the disease were first noted on November 26 and the patient is now at about the halfway point in the usual "run" of time required for the sickness to disappear.

James Hitchell, seed dealer of Leroy, Ill., and a party of three other men from that section of the state, drove into Sikeston early Thursday morning in the interests of looking over farm sites near here. Mr. Hitchell expressed the belief that this is a splendid time to invest in Southeast Missouri lands.

William Lindell Fox, nee Billy, is the captain- elect of the Sikeston High School gridders. The election of Billy to this post of field general over the Bulldog pigskin pushers took place Wednesday night at the annual football banquet held at the high school building. Eighteen names were called from a roster of some 26 odd. Three of the number take their letters and service stripes into the big wide world, for school days and afternoons of bucking the line or "running laps around the track" are for the trio, over. They are: Captain Paul Higgins, Raymond Aufdenberg and Kendall Sikes, each a good man in his place in the Bulldog machine this past season. Sixteen men will have to scrap and fight for positions next fall, when the call for football material is sounded. The other lettermen are: Captain-elect Fox, Woodrow Fitzgerald, Humphreys, Anderson Hayden, Henry Bennett, Keller, Nicholdson, Cole, Young, Cox, Bailey, Law, Walter Ancell, Whidden and Weideman.

Dear Santa Claus: I am seven years old. Mrs. Davis is my teacher. Please bring me a doll and a little rocking chair, and some mix candy and a pair of skates. Do not forget my little brothers and I sure will thank you a lots. Your good friend, Mary Waldman.

Dear Santa Claus: Will you bring me a little car and just a little wagon, nuts, candy. Don't forget Uncle Jim and you can bring me a pop gun, pr. high shoes, a new overcoat and knife and pr. leggins like daddies and bicycle and pony. Don't forget to bring rest of these kids a little something. Your little friend, Phil Waldman.

25 YEARS AGO
December 14, 1939

Bobby Keasler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Keasler, was the honor guest at a party for him Sunday in observance of his fourth birthday. Guests were: Jimmy Arthur, Gene Raymond Aufdenberg, Don Baker, Glenn Barton, Charles Blanton, III, David Bowman, Sammy Bowman, Damon Dale, Eddie McAmis, Billy Stearns, Bobby Stearns, Paul Slinkard, Bobby Gregory, Freddie Taylor, Jimmy Williams, Ann Tully, Mary Ann Walker, Carol Jo Crites, Kathleen Noonan, Jimmy and Betty Sue Keasler.

Mrs. C. T. Old was honored with a surprise birthday party at the Francis Clubhouse Monday night, at which Mrs. Chris Francis was hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Sharp are occupying their recently acquired dwelling on Sikes avenue that was formerly owned by Moore Matthews of East Prairie.

Lloyd Rayburn left Sunday for Salem, Ill., where he will be employed by an oil well company. Mrs. Rayburn and two children will join Mr. Rayburn Monday.

15 YEARS AGO
December 14, 1949

Amalia Ann Schulte, sophomore at State College, Cape Girardeau, is one of the 44 students listed on the Dean's Honor roll for the fall quarter. Also on the honor list is Carolyn Ruth Wilkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Wilsinson of Sikeston.

Th Bulldogs "A" and "B", teams were again victorious as they whipped the Rams from Illmo - Fornfelt in a double-header of basketball at the local Armory last night. The score of the "A" game was 57 to 34. The "B" game score was 25 to 15.

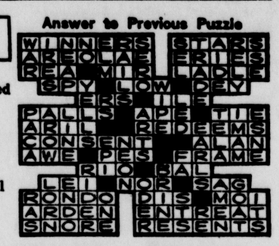
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carroll are parents of a son born Monday afternoon at the Delta Community Hospital. This is the first child and he has been named Ralph, Jr.

Opening of a new produce market on Highway 61 South, to be known as Hines Fruit Market, has been announced by the owners, Stotts & Hines. The business is located opposite Kelley Bros. Nash Sales, in a building where Gilbert Clinton operated a fruit market a few years ago.

DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

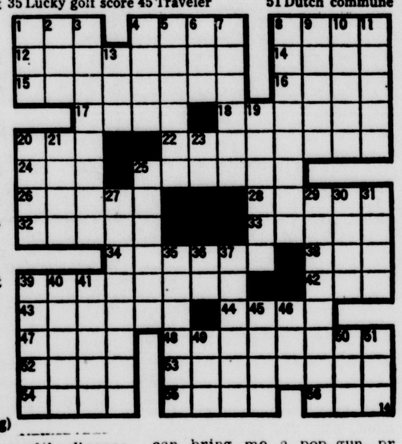
Favorite Foods

Answer to Previous Puzzle



ACROSS
1 Horse feed
4 Favorite food of owls
8 Squirrel food
12 Pertaining to a likeness
14 Egg-shaped
15 Potato chips
16 15th century canvas
17 Cougar meal
18 Spooled
20 Confederacy (ab.)
22 European bird dishes
24 Equip
25 English essayist
26 Sports field
28 Give out
32 Broom
33 Russian rulers
34 He had a vineyard (Bib.)
38 Wine cask
39 Solid beef fats
42 Employ
43 Raw fish egg delicacy
44 Czech river
47 Toward the mouth
48 Explode
52 Walk in water
53 Inserted
54 Solicited
55 German river
56 Compass point

DOWN
1 Possesses
2 Collection of sayings
3 Football distances
4 Dust particle
5 Philippine native
6 Cigarette (slang)
7 Card game
8 Undistinguished
9 Part of soft palate
10 Was grasped
11 Snow vehicles
13 New Guinea port
19 Stone Age tool
20 Soft-shelled
21 Forefather
23 Concerning
25 Maple seed
27 Unhelped
29 Soak
30 Caesar's wild ox
31 Domestic slave
35 Lucky golf score
36 Preposition
37 African fly
39 Flatboats
40 Burmese viol
41 Elude
45 Traveler
46 Inner (comb. form)
49 Conclusion
50 Decimal system base
51 Dutch commune



Dear Santa Claus

508 Malcolm Ave.
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa,

I am 10 years old. For Christmas I would like a birthstone ring and a twist o'loop. Also remember my big brother who is 11 years old. Mother will leave you something to eat.

Yours truly,
Margo Kain

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140 5th St.
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa,

I am a good little boy in the second grade at Matthews Grade School. For Christmas I want a watch, Johnny 7 o. M. A. gun, dump truck, Vroom racing car, steam shovel, pop gun, a Popeye toy, vacuum form molds, and a picture of Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer. Please bring a vase with flowers for my teacher, Mrs. Leslie, and a ladies watch for mother.

Your friend,
Malcolm Sanders

3608 Washington
Cairo, Illinois
Dear Santa Claus,

I am always a very good little girl. For Christmas I want an ice cream machine, paper dolls, doll furniture, sewing machine, puppy dog, doll, and fruit in a basket. I live in Cairo, Illinois, so don't forget to stop at my house.

Mary Martha Jones

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140 Fifth Street
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa Claus,

Please bring me a piano, book, nurse's kit, record player, dishes, ice cream machine, coke machine, and a doll. I am trying to be a good little girl. My brother wants a Johnny 7 O. M. A. gun.

Lisa Bartlett

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140 Fifth Street
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa Claus,

I have been a good little girl this year. For Christmas please bring me some more dishes, a stove, cabinet, sink, and a doll and doll clothes. My sister, Joannie, wants a doll, telephone, truck, and lots of candy.

Your good little friend,
Sara Bartlett

Route 2, Box 4
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa Claus,

I am a little boy 9 years old and have tryed to be good this year. I would like for you to bring me a basket ball and a watch. I have a little sister that is 2 1/2 years old and wants a doll that can walk and a rocking chair, and want other toys you want to bring us. We have a baby brother and he wants some toys that you push and they make a noise.

P. S. Don't forget to look on the table and get you something to eat. We will be in bed.

Mike, Phyllis, Joey
Tidwell

Box 22
Canalou, Mo.
Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Lorri Ann, I will be 2 years old the 17th.

For Christmas would you please bring me a table and chairs, dishes, a high chair, for my baby, tricycle, picnic table, ironing board and iron, and a big doll.

Don't forget my cousins, Ann, Meloney and Kin.

Please Santa don't forget my Uncle Daley.

Love, your little friend,
Lorrie Ann

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211 Dye St.
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa Claus,

I want a Johnny 7 O. M. A. and also I want a Johnny 7 microphone helmet and do not forget my mother. Tell Rudolf and all the other reindeer I love them all very much. Merry Christmas. I am 9 years old and in the second grade.

Terrence Alan Payne

Box 88
Canalou, Mo.
Dear Santa,

I am six years old and I have been pretty good this year.

Please bring me a doll, some pajamas, housecoat and any other clothes you want to bring.

Don't forget my little brother, Brodley, who is 3 years old. He wants a jeep, boat, truck, and an airplane that can fly.

Don't forget all my friends. I wish I could see you but I have the mumps.

Bye Santa.

Your little friend,
Angela Cude

R. F. D. #2
Eldorado, Ill.
Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Davy Brewer. I am 2 years old. For Xmas I want some guns and holsters, trucks, and a musical shoe, and a jack in the box. Don't forget Danny and Dana.

I will have my stocking up.

Love,
Davy BREWER

P. S. I have been a good boy. Also my mommie wants her subscription to the Standard renewed.

R. F. D. #2
Eldorado, Ill.
Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Danny Brewer. I live in Eldorado, Ill. I have been a pretty good boy this year. For Xmas I want a Mattell V-room bicycle with motor. Also a game or two. Please don't forget my brother, Davy and sister, Dana.

My brother wants some guns and trucks. Dana wants a Chatty baby doll. I love you Santa.

Love,
Danny Brewer

P. S. Don't forget to fill our stockings. I am six years old. Merry Xmas.

R. F. D. #2
Eldorado, Ill.
Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Dana Brewer. I am 3 1/2 years old. I have been pretty good too this year. For Xmas I want a Chatty baby doll, stove, icebox, and sink, some dishes and pans to cook with. Don't forget my brothers. Also all the other boys and girls. We will have our stockings hung up. Have a Merry Xmas too.

Love,
Dana Brewer

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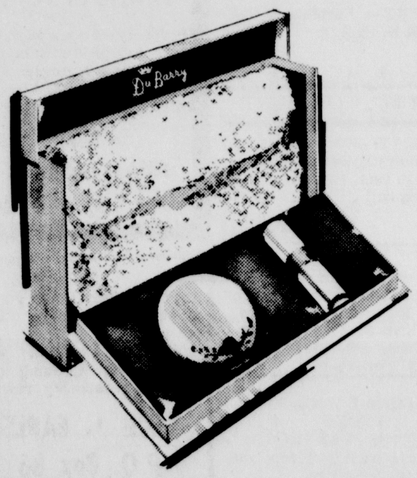
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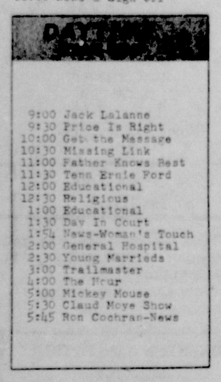
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1:30 The Doctors
2:00 Another World
2:30 You Don't Say - c
3:00 Match Game
3:25 NBC Afternoon Report
3:30 Love That Bob
4:00 Popeye
4:30 M.T.W.Th. Rifleman
4:30 Fri. Dance Party to 5:30
5:00 M.W. Car 54
5:00 T. Th. Dobie Gillis
5:30 Huntley-Brinkley
6:00 News
6:10 Weather
6:20 Sports

CHANNEL WSIL-TV THREE

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14

6:00 Captain Pete
6:20 Deputy Dawg
6:25 Weather
6:30 Voyage To The Bottom of the Sea
7:30 No Time For Sergeants
8:00 Wendy & Me
8:30 Bing Crosby
9:00 Ben Casey
10:00 News & Weather
10:30 Les Crane Show
12:00 News & Sign Off



9:00 Jack Lalanne
9:30 Price Is Right
10:00 Get the Message
10:30 Missing Link
11:00 Father Knows Best
11:30 Tenn Ernie Ford
12:00 Educational
12:30 Religious
1:00 Educational
1:30 Day In Court
1:45 News-Woman's Touch
2:00 General Hospital
2:30 Young Marrieds
3:00 Trailmaster
4:00 The Hour
5:00 Mickey Mouse
5:30 Claud Move Show
5:45 Ron Cochran-News

CHANNEL KFVS-TV TWELVE

MONDAY DECEMBER 14

6 30 TO TELL THE TRUTH CBS
7 00 I'VE GOT A SECRET CBS
7 30 THE ANDY GRIFFITH SHOW CBS
8 00 THE LUCY SHOW CBS
8 30 MANY HAPPY RETURNS CBS
9 00 SLATTERY'S PEOPLE CBS
10 00 CHANNEL 12 REPORTS
10 15 THE SPORTS FINAL
10 20 THE LATE WEATHER
10 30 CHANNEL 12 THEATRE (DUEL ON THE MISSISSIPPI - LEX BARKER & PATRICIA MEDINA)
11 50 LATE NEWS HIGHLIGHTS

TUESDAY DECEMBER 15

6 30 SUNRISE SEMESTER CBS
7 00 CH. 12 BREAKFAST SHOW
8 00 CAPTAIN KANGAROO CBS
9 00 MORNING NEWS CBS
9 30 I LOVE LUCY CBS
10 00 ANDY OF MAYBERRY CBS
10 30 THE REAL MC COYS CBS
11 00 LOVE OF LIFE CBS
11 25 MIDDAY NEWS CBS
11 30 SEARCH FOR TOMORROW CBS
11 45 THE GUIDING LIGHT CBS
12 00 NOONDAY NEWS
12 15 THE FARM PICTURE
12 20 WATCHING THE WEATHER
12 30 AS THE WORLD TURNS CBS
1 00 PASSWORD CBS
1 30 HOUSE PARTY CBS
2 00 TO TELL THE TRUTH CBS
2 25 DOUGLAS EDWARDS NEWS CBS
2 30 THE EDGE OF NIGHT CBS
3 00 THE SECRET STORM CBS
3 30 THE JACK BENNY SHOW CBS
4 00 LEAVE IT TO BEAVER
4 30 ROCKY & HIS FRIENDS
4 45 CARTOON STORYBOOK
5 00 WOODY WOODPECKER SHOW
5 30 THE REGIONAL NEWS
5 45 THE SCOREBOARD
5 50 WATCHING THE WEATHER
6 00 CBS EVENING NEWS CBS

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Looking Back Over The Years

55 YEARS AGO
December 12, 1909

Scott Country ranks ninth in the value of surplus products for the year 1908. The value was $5,698,604. This leads the four surrounding counties by over two million. That is a fine showing and the chances are we will do better this year.

45 YEARS AGO
December 14, 1919

Uncle Joe Randol butchered his hogs last week and the Standard family can testify that the mess of spare ribs that he sent in were all right.

Charles Allen, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Cook, found a bottle of iodine Wednesday afternoon and thinking it was Castoria, proceeded to take a generous dose. Evidently the taste was not to his liking and when he began spitting, attracted attention. A doctor was called, who gave instructions for home remedies to be used until he could get there. It is thought that "Cookie" swallowed very little of the medicine, as he was not very sick at anytime, but it gave everyone, including himself, a scare.

Miss Irma Wilson came Sunday afternoon from Columbia to spend the holidays. Miss Irma is a student this year at the State University.

Sikeston High School defeated the Malden School in the debate at the high school Friday evening. Sikeston had the negative and Malden the affirmative side of the question, "Resolved that the United States should own and control the Merchant Marine." Sikeston was represented by Paul Denman and Dallas Beauchamp and Malden by Miss Jessie Tyler and Carl Bagby.

35 YEARS AGO
December 14, 1929

Mrs. Glen Matthews of this city is reported to have contracted what is technically known as tularaemia and popularly as "rabbit sickness." Symptoms of the disease were first noted on November 26 and the patient is now at about the halfway point in the usual "run" of time required for the sickness to disappear.

James Hitchell, seed dealer of Leroy, Ill., and a party of three other men from that section of the state, drove into Sikeston early Thursday morning in the interests of looking over farm sites near here. Mr. Hitchell expressed the belief that this is a splendid time to invest in Southeast Missouri lands.

William Lindell Fox, nee Billy, is the captain- elect of the Sikeston High School gridders. The election of Billy to this post of field general over the Bulldog pigskin pushers took place Wednesday night at the annual football banquet held at the high school building. Eighteen names were called from a roster of some 26 odd. Three of the number take their letters and service stripes into the big wide world, for school days and afternoons of bucking the line or "running laps around the track" are for the trio, over. They are: Captain Paul Higgins, Raymond Aufdenberg and Kendall Sikes, each a good man in his place in the Bulldog machine this past season. Sixteen men will have to scrap and fight for positions next fall, when the call for football material is sounded. The other lettermen are: Captain-elect Fox, Woodrow Fitzgerald, Humphreys, Anderson Hayden, Henry Bennett, Keller, Nicholdson, Cole, Young, Cox, Bailey, Law, Walter Ancell, Whidden and Weideman.

Dear Santa Claus: I am seven years old. Mrs. Davis is my teacher. Please bring me a doll and a little rocking chair, and some mix candy and a pair of skates. Do not forget my little brothers and I sure will thank you a lots. Your good friend, Mary Waldman.

Dear Santa Claus: Will you bring me a little car and just a little wagon, nuts, candy. Don't forget Uncle Jim and you can bring me a pop gun, pr. high shoes, a new overcoat and knife and pr. leggins like daddies and bicycle and pony. Don't forget to bring rest of these kids a little something. Your little friend, Phil Waldman.

25 YEARS AGO
December 14, 1939

Bobby Keasler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Keasler, was the honor guest at a party for him Sunday in observance of his fourth birthday. Guests were: Jimmy Arthur, Gene Raymond Aufdenberg, Don Baker, Glenn Barton, Charles Blanton, III, David Bowman, Sammy Bowman, Damon Dale, Eddie McAmis, Billy Stearns, Bobby Stearns, Paul Slinkard, Bobby Gregory, Freddie Taylor, Jimmy Williams, Ann Tully, Mary Ann Walker, Carol Jo Crites, Kathleen Noonan, Jimmy and Betty Sue Keasler.

Mrs. C. T. Old was honored with a surprise birthday party at the Francis Clubhouse Monday night, at which Mrs. Chris Francis was hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Sharp are occupying their recently acquired dwelling on Sikes avenue that was formerly owned by Moore Matthews of East Prairie.

Lloyd Rayburn left Sunday for Salem, Ill., where he will be employed by an oil well company. Mrs. Rayburn and two children will join Mr. Rayburn Monday.

15 YEARS AGO
December 14, 1949

Amalia Ann Schulte, sophomore at State College, Cape Girardeau, is one of the 44 students listed on the Dean's Honor roll for the fall quarter. Also on the honor list is Carolyn Ruth Wilkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Wilsinson of Sikeston.

Th Bulldogs "A" and "B", teams were again victorious as they whipped the Rams from Illmo - Fornfelt in a double-header of basketball at the local Armory last night. The score of the "A" game was 57 to 34. The "B" game score was 25 to 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carroll are parents of a son born Monday afternoon at the Delta Community Hospital. This is the first child and he has been named Ralph, Jr.

Opening of a new produce market on Highway 61 South, to be known as Hines Fruit Market, has been announced by the owners, Stotts & Hines. The business is located opposite Kelley Bros. Nash Sales, in a building where Gilbert Clinton operated a fruit market a few years ago.

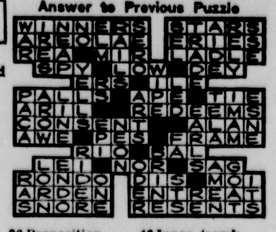
DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

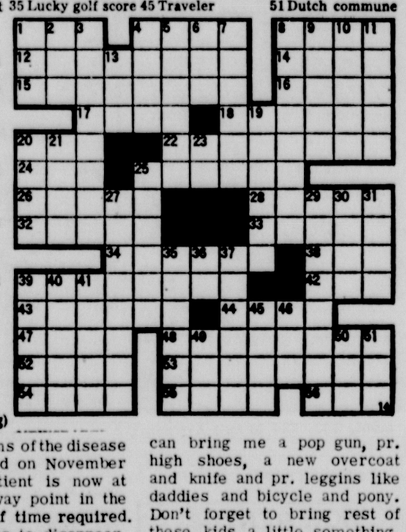
Favorite Foods

ACROSS
1 Horse feed
4 Favorite food of owls
8 Squirrel food
12 Pertaining to a likeness
14 Egg-shaped
15 Potato chips
16 15th century canvas
17 Cougar meal
18 Spooled
20 Confederacy (ab.)
22 European bird dishes
24 Equip
25 English essayist
26 Sports field
28 Give out
32 Broom
33 Russian rulers
34 He had a vineyard (Bib.)
38 Wine cask
39 Solid beef fats
42 Employ
43 Raw fish egg delicacy
47 Toward the mouth
48 Explode
52 Walk in water
53 Inserted
54 Solicited
55 German river
56 Compass point

DOWN
1 Possesses
2 Collection of sayings
3 Football distances
4 Dust particle
5 Philippine native
6 Cigarette (slang)
7 Card game
8 Undistinguished
9 Part of soft palate
10 Was grasped
11 Snow vehicles
13 New Guinea port
19 Stone Age tool
20 Soft-shelled
21 Forefather
23 Concerning
25 Maple seed
27 Unhelped
29 Soak
30 Caesar's wild ox
31 Domestic slave
35 Lucky golf score
36 Preposition
37 African fly
39 Flatboats
40 Burmese viol
41 Elude
45 Traveler
46 Inner (comb. form)
49 Conclusion
50 Decimal system base
51 Dutch commune

Answer to Previous Puzzle





Dear Santa Claus

508 Malcolm Ave.
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa,

I am 10 years old. For Christmas I would like a birthstone ring and a twist o'loop. Also remember my big brother who is 11 years old. Mother will leave you something to eat.

Yours truly,
Margo Kain

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140 5th St.
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa,

I am a good little boy in the second grade at Matthews Grade School. For Christmas I want a watch, Johnny 7 O. M. A. gun, dump truck, Vroom racing car, steam shovel, pop gun, a Popeye toy, vacuum form molds, and a picture of Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer. Please bring a vase with flowers for my teacher, Mrs. Leslie, and a ladies watch for mother.

Your friend,
Malcolm Sanders

3608 Washington
Cairo, Illinois
Dear Santa Claus,

I am always a very good little girl. For Christmas I want an ice cream machine, paper dolls, doll furniture, sewing machine, puppy dog, doll, and fruit in a basket. I live in Cairo, Illinois, so don't forget to stop at my house.

Mary Martha Jones

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140 Fifth Street
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa Claus,

Please bring me a piano, book, nurse's kit, record player, dishes, ice cream machine, coke machine, and a doll. I am trying to be a good little girl. My brother wants a Johnny 7 O. M. A. gun.

Lisa Bartlett

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140 Fifth Street
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa Claus,

I have been a good little girl this year. For Christmas please bring me some more dishes, a stove, cabinet, sink, and a doll and doll clothes. My sister, Joannie, wants a doll, telephone, truck, and lots of candy.

Your good little friend,
Sara Bartlett

Route 2, Box 4
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa Claus,

I am a little boy 9 years old and have tryed to be good this year. I would like for you to bring me a basket ball and a watch. I have a little sister that is 2 1/2 years old and wants a doll that can walk and a rocking chair, and want other toys you want to bring us. We have a baby brother and he wants some toys that you push and they make a noise.

P. S. Don't forget to look on the table and get you something to eat. We will be in bed.

Mike, Phyllis, Joey
Tidwell

Box 22
Canalou, Mo.
Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Lorri Ann, I will be 2 years old the 17th. For Christmas would you please bring me a table and chairs, dishes, a high chair, for my baby, tricycle, picnic table, ironing board and iron, and a big doll.

Don't forget my cousins, Ann, Meloney and Kin.

Please Santa don't forget my Uncle Daley.

Love, your little friend,
Lorrie Ann

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211 Dye St.
Sikeston, Mo.
Dear Santa Claus,

I want a Johnny 7 O. M. A. and also I want a Johnny 7 microphone helmet and do not forget my mother. Tell Rudolf and all the other reindeer I love them all very much. Merry Christmas. I am 9 years old and in the second grade.

Terrence Alan Payne

Box 88
Canalou, Mo.
Dear Santa,

I am six years old and I have been pretty good this year. Please bring me a doll, some pajamas, housecoat and any other clothes you want to bring.

Don't forget my little brother, Brodley, who is 3 years old. He wants a jeep, boat, truck, and an airplane that can fly.

Don't forget all my friends. I wish I could see you but I have the mumps.

Bye Santa.

Your little friend,
Angela Cude

R. F. D. #2
Eldorado, Ill.
Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Davy Brewer. I am 2 years old. For Xmas I want some guns and holsters, trucks, and a musical shoe, and a jack in the box. Don't forget Danny and Dana.

I will have my stocking up.

Love,
Davy BREWER

P. S. I have been a good boy. Also my mommie wants her subscription to the Standard renewed.

R. F. D. #2
Eldorado, Ill.
Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Danny Brewer. I live in Eldorado, Ill. I have been a pretty good boy this year. For Xmas I want a Mattell V-room bicycle with motor. Also a game or two. Please don't forget my brother, Davy and sister, Dana.

My brother wants some guns and trucks. Dana wants a Chatty baby doll. I love you Santa.

Love,
Danny Brewer

P. S. Don't forget to fill our stockings. I am six years old. Merry Xmas.

R. F. D. #2
Eldorado, Ill.
Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Dana Brewer. I am 3 1/2 years old. I have been pretty good too this year. For Xmas I want a Chatty baby doll, stove, icebox, and sink, some dishes and pans to cook with. Don't forget my brothers. Also all the other boys and girls. We will have our stockings hung up. Have a Merry Xmas too.

Love,
Dana Brewer

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Beetle Bailey By Mort Walker



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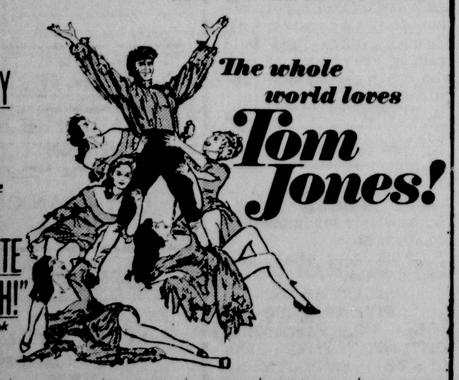
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Shows Begin
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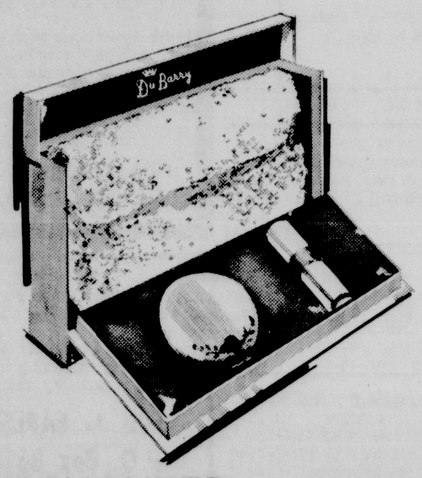
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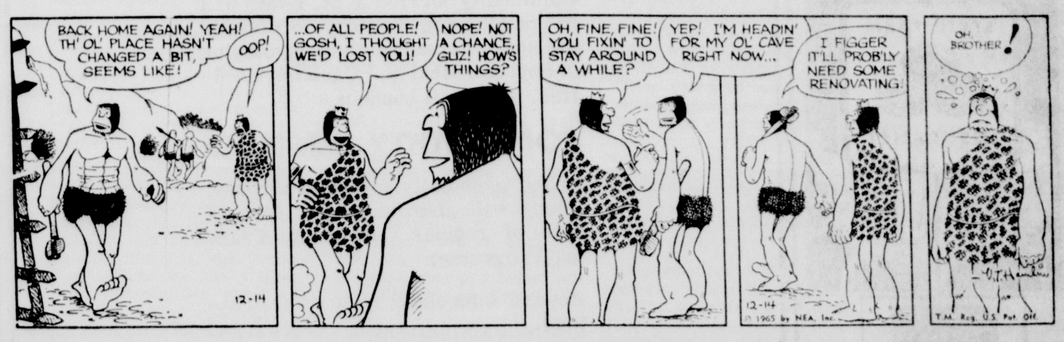
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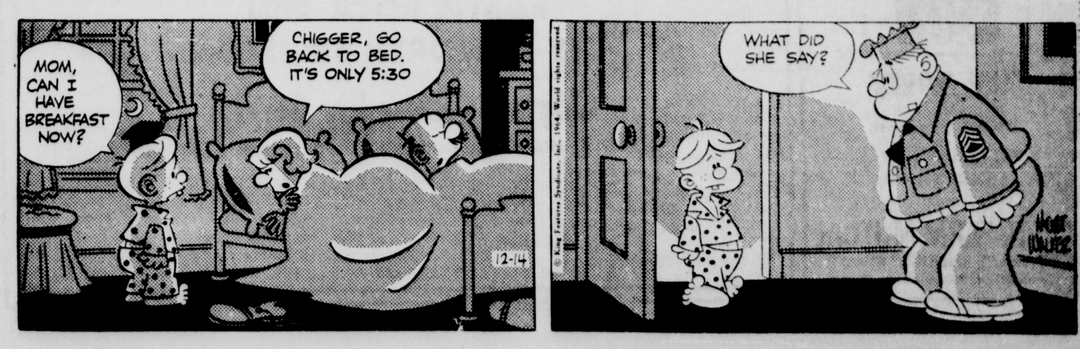
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Today in U. S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Monday, Dec. 14, the 349th day of 1964. There are 17 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1799, George Washington died at his home, Mount Vernon, where he was living in retirement.

On this date

In 1819, Alabama, the 22nd state, was admitted to the union.

In 1911, Norwegian explorer Roald Amundsen reached the South Pole.

In 1916, the people of Denmark voted to sell the Danish West Indies to the United States for $25 million.

In 1942, Gen. Douglas MacArthur's forces captured the Japanese stronghold of Buna, New Guinea.

In 1946, the U.N. General Assembly voted to establish world headquarters in New York City, accepting the land from John D. Rockefeller Jr.

Ten years ago . . . President Dwight D. Eisenhower promised the Democrats, who controlled Congress, a voice in defense and foreign affairs.

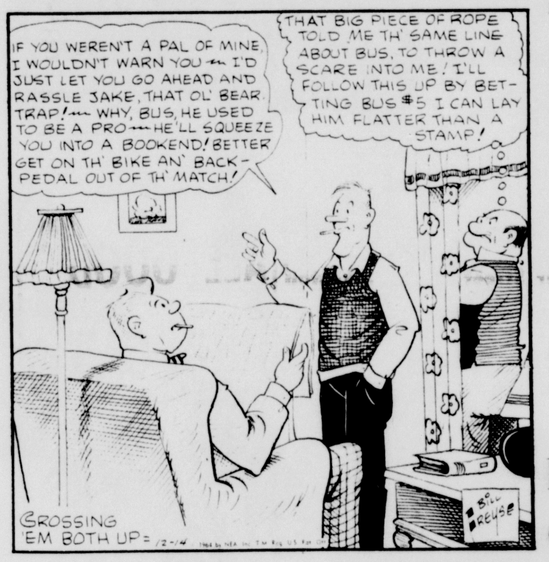
Five years ago . . . The U.S. Communist party elected Gus Hall general secretary to replace Eugene Dennis.

One year ago . . . A Flying Tiger line Super-Constellation crashed in North Hollywood, Calif. Nine persons were killed, five of them on the ground.

A dog teaches a boy fidelity, perseverance, and to turn around three times before lying down.

Robert Benchley





STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Tuesday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Keen	31 Crop	61 Anything	
2 Ideas	32 An	62 To	
3 Spread	33 Conditions	63 Can	
4 Don't	34 Good	64 Problems	
5 A	35 Don't	65 Or	
6 Timely	36 News	66 Short-	
7 Magnify	37 Brighten	67 Lead	
8 Good	38 Advantage	68 Outlook	
9 Development	39 Allow	69 You	
10 News	40 A	70 Harmony	
11 Tend	41 Or	71 You	
12 Life	42 Pleasant	72 Purse	
13 Look	43 Security	73 Your	
14 Pleasant	44 Without	74 Comings	
15 Good	45 Surprise	75 Doesn't	
16 Holds	46 Overdo	76 Probably	
17 Fortune	47 Your	77 Pocketbook	
18 Out	48 Up	78 Today	
19 Surprises	49 That	79 Mean	
20 Your	50 Get	80 Concerning	
21 Don't	51 Should	81 Money	
22 Could	52 For	82 All	
23 To	53 Benefit	83 The	
24 Benefit	54 Your	84 Cause	
25 If	55 Peace	85 Chance	
26 May	56 Should	86 Much	
27 Your	57 Be	87 Trouble	
28 You	58 Or	88 Day	
29 Push	59 Pride	89 You	
30 For	60 With	90 Astray	

Good — Adverse — 12/15 Neutral

ARIES MAR 22 – APR 20: 12-16-40-42 45-52-69
TAURUS APR 21 – MAY 21: 4-7-20-64 65-66-74
GEMINI MAY 22 – JUNE 22: 3-8-10-25 28-50-83-85
CANCER JUNE 23 – JULY 23: 34-36-51-53 73-77-78
LEO JULY 24 – AUG 23: 13-18-30-33 49-63-84-87
VIRGO AUG 24 – SEPT 22: 5-6-9-22 24-27-72
LIBRA SEPT 23 – OCT 23: 21-29-32-38 41-46-61
SCORPIO OCT 24 – NOV 22: 15-17-56-57 60-71-82-88
SAGITTARIUS NOV 23 – DEC 22: 43-44-55-58 70-75-79-86
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PISCES FEB 20 – MAR 21: 35-39-54-59 62-67-89-90

Eagleton Gives Views

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Atty. Gen. Thomas F. Eagleton, who becomes lieutenant governor in January, gave his views Tuesday on major problems which will face the 1965 Missouri General Assembly.

In a speech to the South Central Business Association, Eagleton outlined the main problems as education, mental health, reapportionment, public accommodations and the creation of an urban affairs department.

He said he agrees with Warren Hearnes, governor-elect, that a bipartisan commission is the best approach to legislative reapportionment. He said it would be futile to expect the legislature to be unbiased in drawing lines for legislative districts.

On the subject of public accommodations, Eagleton said the state should work out a satisfactory solution and not let the problem rebound to the federal government.

He said that expenditures for education run far ahead of other outlays by the state and will have to continue to do so.

CARNIVAL — By Dick Turner



"That Freddie! His idea of a balanced meal is to have food in both hands!"

SIDE GLANCES — By Gill Fox



"I hear Smith's marriage isn't going too well. She deliberately wears her new hat when we're predicting rain!"

OUR ANCESTORS by Quincy



"Ye've doon it, Angus! Putting those old kilts in the still does give it the real Scotch taste!"

Construction In Missouri Up 10 Per Cent

NEW YORK (AP)—Contracts for future construction in Missouri the first 10 months of the year amounted to $1,008,181,000, an increase of 24 per cent over the corresponding period of 1963.

Non-building construction amounted to $278,629,000, up 43 per cent. Residential construction contracts added up to $419,604,000, and non-residential $309,948,000, an increase of 18 per cent in both categories.

The F.W. Dodge Corp., which released the survey today, said contracts for October added up to $88,221,000, up two per cent over October, 1963. Non-residential, at $22,644,000, was down 10 per cent; residential at $40,391,000 was down 13 per cent and non-building construction at $23,186,000 was up 85 per cent.

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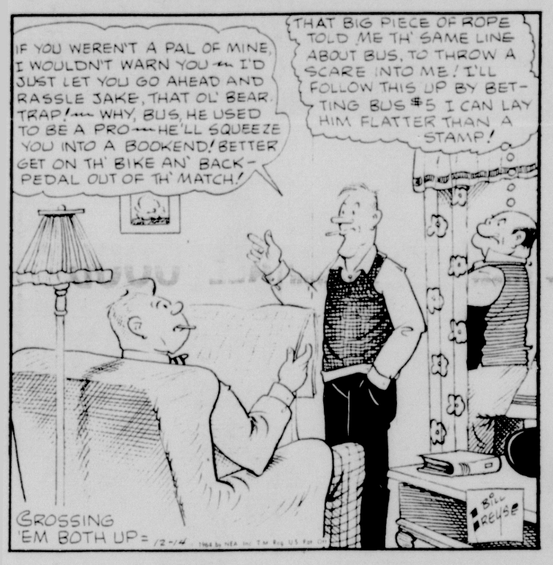


BEETLE BAILEY

by Mort Walker







Today in U. S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Monday, Dec. 14, the 349th day of 1964. There are 17 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1799, George Washington died at his home, Mount Vernon, where he was living in retirement.

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In 1819, Alabama, the 22nd state, was admitted to the union.

In 1911, Norwegian explorer Roald Amundsen reached the South Pole.

In 1916, the people of Denmark voted to sell the Danish West Indies to the United States for $25 million.

In 1942, Gen. Douglas MacArthur's forces captured the Japanese stronghold of Buna, New Guinea.

In 1946, the U.N. General Assembly voted to establish world headquarters in New York City, accepting the land from John D. Rockefeller Jr.

Ten years ago . . . President Dwight D. Eisenhower promised the Democrats, who controlled Congress, a voice in defense and foreign affairs.

Five years ago . . . The U.S. Communist party elected Gus Hall general secretary to replace Eugene Dennis.

One year ago . . . A Flying Tiger line Super-Constellation crashed in North Hollywood, Calif. Nine persons were killed, five of them on the ground.

A dog teaches a boy fidelity, perseverance, and to turn around three times before lying down.

Robert Benchley

STAR GAZER

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Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Tuesday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Keen	31 Crop	61 Anything
2 Ideas	32 An	62 To
3 Spread	33 Conditions	63 Can
4 Don't	34 Good	64 Problems
5 A	35 Don't	65 Or
6 Timely	36 News	66 Short-
7 Magnify	37 Brighten	67 Lead
8 Good	38 Advantage	68 Outlook
9 Development	39 Allow	69 You
10 News	40 A	70 Harmony
11 Tend	41 Or	71 You
12 Life	42 Pleasant	72 Purse
13 Look	43 Security	73 Your
14 Pleasant	44 Without	74 Comings
15 Good	45 Surprise	75 Doesn't
16 Holds	46 Overdo	76 Probably
17 Fortune	47 Your	77 Pocketbook
18 Out	48 Up	78 Today
19 Surprises	49 That	79 Mean
20 Your	50 Get	80 Concerning
21 Don't	51 Should	81 Money
22 Could	52 For	82 All
23 To	53 Benefit	83 The
24 Benefit	54 Your	84 Cause
25 If	55 Peace	85 Chance
26 May	56 Should	86 Much
27 Your	57 Be	87 Trouble
28 You	58 Or	88 Day
29 Push	59 Pride	89 You
30 For	60 With	90 Astray

Good — Adverse — 12/15 Neutral

ARIES MAR. 22 – APR. 20
12-16-40-42 45-52-69

TAURUS APR. 21 – MAY 21
4- 7-20-64 65-66-74

GEMINI MAY 22 – JUNE 22
3- 8-10-25 28-50-83-85

CANCER JUNE 23 – JULY 23
34-36-51-53 73-77-78

LEO JULY 24 – AUG. 23
13-18-30-33 49-63-84-87

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5- 6- 9-22 24-27-72

LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 23
21-29-32-38 41-46-61

SCORPIO OCT. 24 – NOV. 22
15-17-56-57 60-71-82-88

SAGITTARIUS NOV. 23 – DEC. 22
43-44-55-58 70-75-79-86

CAPRICORN DEC. 23 – JAN. 20
1- 2-11-23 37-47-68

AQUARIUS JAN. 21 – FEB. 19
14-19-26-31 48-76-80-81

PISCES FEB. 20 – MAR. 21
35-39-54-59 62-67-89-90

Eagleton Gives Views

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CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"That Freddie! His idea of a balanced meal is to have food in both hands!"

SIDE GLANCES

By Gill Fox



"I hear Smith's marriage isn't going too well. She deliberately wears her new hat when we're predicting rain!"

OUR ANCESTORS

by Quincy



"Ye've doon it, Angus! Putting those old kilts in the still does give it the real Scotch taste!"

Construction In Missouri Up 10 Per Cent

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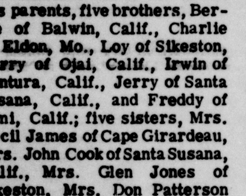
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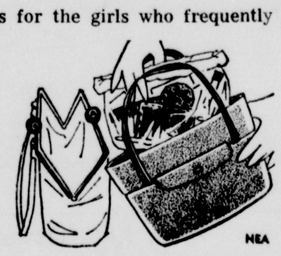
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Polly

DEAR POLLY—Some years ago my in-laws moved far away from us and my mother-in-law wrote that Christmas didn't seem the same. We decided to try and do something about it. The following December 1 we sent a gift with instructions NOT to wait until Christmas but to open it immediately. The gift was an artifical fireplace with a letter enclosed that said to watch for the postman in a week or so. December 15, the other package arrived. It too, was to be opened immediately and contained two gaily decorated felt stockings, marked Mother and Dad, to hang on the fireplace. Inside these stockings were a lot of small gifts, wrapped and marked "Don't open until December 25." This way the excitement of Christmas was spread over a month.

The next year we bought a large white rug and with textile paints I painted a holiday greeting on the rug. This was to be placed in front of the fireplace sent the previous year. They had a friend take a picture of them in front of their Christmas fireplace and mailed it to us for our Christmas. So many times they have mentioned how much fun the holidays are for them again. Each year we will continue to send them some early gifts that will help create the holiday atmosphere.—JOYCE



NEA

DEAR POLLY—My hint is for the girls who frequently change purses to match costumes, hats or handbags and find they have failed to transfer all the necessary paraphernalia. Take a plastic bag the width of most handbags, roll the top over several times and carry everything in the plastic bag that you should have along at all times. When changing handbags just remove the plastic bag to the purse you will carry and there are no forgotten items.—EMMA

DEAR POLLY—To avoid fuss and nervousness and a trip to the grocery after unexpected company comes, I always keep on hand the makings of a complete dinner so they are always ready for just such emergencies. My favorite dinner staples are a canned ham, canned tiny peas, instant mashed potatoes, a can of pineapple and a package of grated cheese for a salad. Then, too, there is always a frozen pie that can be popped in the oven for a good dessert. None of these things take long to fix, you have time to spend with guests and they don't feel their visit is too much trouble.—MRS. R. A. M.

Share your favorite homemaking ideas . . and send them to Polly in care of The Daily Sikeston Standard. You'll receive a bright, new silver dollar if Polly uses your idea in Polly's Pointers.

LBJ

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In announcing the changes Saturday, McNamara made no reference to congressional action in his prepared statement but told newsmen some aspects of the reorganization would require congressional attention.

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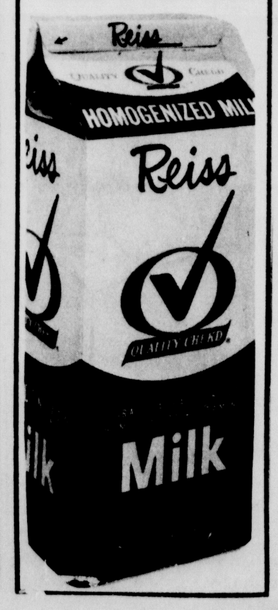
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Nathanael said to him "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." (John 1:46, RSV)

PRAYER: Open our eyes, O God, that we may recognize Thee in the person of Jesus. Help us to submit our hearts to Him and teach us to listen to His voice. May our lives reflect His spirit and bring honor and glory to Thee. In His name. Amen.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
Anheuser Busch	64	67¼
Ark Mo Power	17⅝	18⅛
Fed Compress	27	29
Malone and Hyde	23¾	25⅜
Mo Utilities	25¾	28
Pabst Brewing	31¼	33
Potlatch Forest	39¼	41¾
Transogram	3¾	4¼
Gen Life of Wis	8¼	9
Mark Twain Life	4½	6
Mid West Nat Life	16¾	18
Tower Nat Life	3⅜	4¼

LISTED STOCKS

Allied Stores	76
Columbia Gas	31⅜
Eaton Mfg. Co.	42⅝
Emerson Electric	40
Foremost Dairy	13½
New England Electric	28½

Editors Note: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum registered representative for Fusz Schmelzle and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone GR 1-5350.

National Stockyards

Hogs 11,000; barrows and gilts uneven, weights 230 lbs and lighter barely active steady to strong, heavier weights slow steady to weak, sows active, strong, instances 25 higher; barrows and gilts 150-300 lbs 13.25-16.25; sows 280-600 lbs 12.25-13.50.

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Brightening a Yuletide

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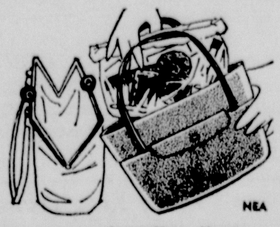


Polly

DEAR POLLY—Some years ago my in-laws moved far away from us and my mother-in-law wrote that Christmas didn't seem the same. We decided to try and do something about it. The following December 1 we sent a gift with instructions NOT to wait until Christmas but to open it immediately. The gift was an artifical fireplace with a letter enclosed that said to watch for the postman in a week or so. December 15, the other package arrived. It too, was to be opened immediately and contained two gaily decorated felt stockings, marked Mother and Dad, to hang on the fireplace. Inside these stockings were a lot of small gifts, wrapped and marked "Don't open until December 25." This way the excitement of Christmas was spread over a month.

The next year we bought a large white rug and with textile paints I painted a holiday greeting on the rug. This was to be placed in front of the fireplace sent the previous year. They had a friend take a picture of them in front of their Christmas fireplace and mailed it to us for our Christmas. So many times they have mentioned how much fun the holidays are for them again. Each year we will continue to send them some early gifts that will help create the holiday atmosphere.—JOYCE

DEAR POLLY—My hint is for the girls who frequently change purses to match costumes, hats or handbags and find they have failed to transfer all the necessary paraphernalia. Take a plastic bag the width of most handbags, roll the top over several times and carry everything in the plastic bag that you should have along at all times. When changing handbags just remove the plastic bag to the purse you will carry and there are no forgotten items.—EMMA



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DEAR POLLY—To avoid fuss and nervousness and a trip to the grocery after unexpected company comes, I always keep on hand the makings of a complete dinner so they are always ready for just such emergencies. My favorite dinner staples are a canned ham, canned tiny peas, instant mashed potatoes, a can of pineapple and a package of grated cheese for a salad. Then, too, there is always a frozen pie that can be popped in the oven for a good dessert. None of these things take long to fix, you have time to spend with guests and they don't feel their visit is too much trouble.—MRS. R. A. M.

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department and top congressional leaders want them.

In announcing the changes Saturday, McNamara made no reference to congressional action in his prepared statement but told newsmen some aspects of the reorganization would require congressional attention.

He mentioned specifically the money which would be needed to increase the size of the National Guard. Money aspects of the program will be reflected in the budget for the fiscal year which begins July 1.

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Nathanael said to him "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." (John 1:46, RSV)

PRAYER: Open our eyes, O God, that we may recognize Thee in the person of Jesus. Help us to submit our hearts to Him and teach us to listen to His voice. May our lives reflect His spirit and bring honor and glory to Thee. In His name. Amen.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
Anheuser Busch	64	67¼
Ark Mo Power	17⅝	18⅛
Fed Compress	27	29
Malone and Hyde	23¾	25⅜
Mo Utilities	25¾	28
Pabst Brewing	31¼	33
Potlatch Forest	39¼	41¾
Transogram	3¾	4¼
Gen Life of Wis	8¼	9
Mark Twain Life	4½	6
Mid West Nat Life	16¾	18
Tower Nat Life	3⅜	4¼

LISTED STOCKS

Allied Stores	76
Columbia Gas	31⅜
Eaton Mfg. Co.	42⅝
Emerson Electric	40
Foremost Dairy	13½
New England Electric	28½

Editors Note: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer.

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National Stockyards

Hogs 11,000; barrows and gilts uneven, weights 230 lbs and lighter barely active steady to strong, heavier weights slow steady to weak, sows active, strong, instances 25 higher; barrows and gilts 150-300 lbs 13.25-16.25; sows 280-600 lbs 12.25-13.50.

Cattle 6,000; calves 300; moderately active; steers and heifers steady to 25 higher, instances 50 higher; cows and bulls steady to strong; steers standard to choice 16.50-24.25; heifers standard to choice 16.00-23.25; cows 8.00-12.50 calves moderately active, steady; vealers scarce; vealers standard to choice 11.00-28.00; good to choice calves 12.00-16.00.

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